AN ESSAY TO HERALDRY

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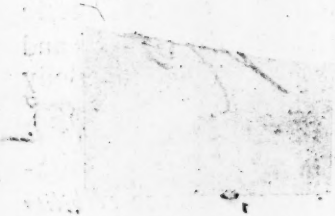
The *First* Containing (in a Concise but Methodical Method, by Rules and Explanations of Bearings) the Body of *Heraldry*:

The *Second*, *Honour* Civil and Military; Being a Treatise of the *Nobility* and *Gentry* of *ENGLAND*, as to their *Priviledges*, *Dignities*, &c. According to the Laws and Customs of our *Realm*.

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TO THE

HONOURABLE

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Knight and Baronet.

Honourable Sir,

THIS *Treatiſe of* Heraldry, *though ſmall in bulk, yet large in ſubſtance comprehending all the cheif and neceſſary Rules in the ſaid Art, which (with no ſmall labour and pains) are digeſted in a methodical method (in way of an* Ordinary) *in ſeveral* Shields *engraven on* Copper Plates; *and for the Explana-*

tion thereof the ſeveral Coats in each Shield are Blazoned with the names of the Bearers, except to thoſe that are made uſe of only for Examples; and the number of the Figures refers to the Coat in the Shield, which is reckoned from the firſt in the Dexter cheif. And under the ſaid Heads, Coats of like Bearings may be compriſed, whether of themſelves, or between, or charged upon any of the Honourable Ordinaries; for it can't be expected that this ſmall Tract ſhould give Examples of all Bearings this being only deſigned for a ſmall Pocket Book, and only to give the Rules with Examples of Bearings, to teach the way of Blazoning any Coat Armour.

The

The ſecond Part *is a Treatiſe of the* Nobility *and* Gentry *of* England *as to their* Priviledges, Dignities, *&c. And for Examples of* Bearings *I have inſerted* Atchievements *of each* Degree *compleat, that is, with all the external ornaments as* Mantle, Helmet, Creſt, Motto, *and* Supporters, *having given your Honour's* Atchievement *for the Example of a* Baronet *that Bears* Supporters *a peculiar badge of Honour rarely granted to any under the Degree of a Nobleman.*

Sir as on the one hand, I may preſume to ſay that there hath been nothing yet extant of this nature ſo full in ſo ſmall a Compaſs; ſo on the other it is my ambition to take this opportu-

nity to expres's the great esteem I have for your Honour, *as well in respect of the nobleness of your* Family *which renders you a person interessed in this work, as to testifie my gratitude for your favours showred upon me for the promoting some former undertakings, being indeed a great favourer of all ingenuous* Arts, *and in particular to* HERALDRY *the Subject of this* Book. *Sir your generous Spirit hath ever aimed at a publick Good, many admire you, and most love and honour you.* Sir you are generally beloved for your generous and noble Actions for your generous and noble Inclinations, and for your generous and noble Principles s that I cannot but receive Com

mendation

mendations for ſelecting you to the Patronage of this Work. Sir, if you pardon this my ambition I have my ſatisfaction, and can be no better contented than in that and in being ſtiled

SIR,

Your honours moſt humble Servant

RICHARD BLOME.

The Art of HERALDRY teaching the blazoning of ARMS is set forth in these Shields. By which Examples any Coat may be Blazoned.

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THE

AN ESSAY TO HERALDRY.

CHAP. I.

This Chapter treateth of the original & universality, the sundry Denominations, and the original Discipline of Arms and Ensigns, with their use and necessity: Their Sympathy with the Bearers, and conformity with Names, their Definition, Blazon, Distribution, Accidents and Parts, and lastly their Abatements and Rewards of Honour.

THE Dignity and Estimation of *Arms* cannot but be great, if we alone consider that it delights the Beholders, greatly Graces the places where they are erected,

cted, and gives occaſion to the Beholders to make inquiry whoſe they are, and of what family the bearer is deſcended.

Before I proceed further, it will not be unneceſſary briefly to begin with ſome *Obſervations* ſuitable to this ſubject, and firſt, of thoſe *Marks* or *Enſigns* called *Arms*, in Latin *Arma*.

The word *Arma* as in *Guillims Heraldry*, is taken for very natural Inſtruments, and in this ſence Doctor *Caſius* doth uſe the ſame where he ſaith, *Arma belluis natura dedit, ut Leoni Dentes, ſerpenti aculeum*, &c.

It is alſo taken for all manner of *Inſtruments* that belong to *Mechanical Trades*.

Inſtruments Military.

It is likewiſe taken for all ſorts of *War-like inſtruments*: But the word *Arma* doth not here ſignify any of theſe things, but is taken for *Shields*, *Targets*, *Millitary Caſſocks*, *Banners*, and other *Martial Inſtruments* on which they were *Engraven*, *Emboſſed or depicted*, and theſe were peculiar only to *Martial Men*, and profeſſed *Souldiers*, which to this day is called *Arms*, from the Latin word *Arma*. And *Claudius Fauches* ſaith that *Armes* have their

their denomination, becauſe *Military Men* did bear their ſeveral *Devices* as aforeſaid upon their *Shields*.

Guillim ſaith that *Arms* were called *Symbola*, which ſignifies tokens or Marks, which in the time of Hoſtility or civil Tumults were given to *Souldiers* by their *Captains* or Chief *Commanders*, for diſtinguiſhing of particular Perſons, as well amongſt themſelves as from their Enemies.

Theſe *Armorial Notes* ſo much in requeſt now amongſt us, are oft times called *Enſigns*, which comprizeth in general all *Marks* and *Tokens* of *Honour* due to meritorious Perſons, as well in reſpect of their *Government*, *Learning*, *Wiſdom*, *Magnanimity*, &c. as for their Martial Prowes. Amongſt theſe *Enſigns* are thoſe *Marks* and *Shapes* of *Animals*, that *Martial Men* uſed to adorn their *Helmets* withal, to the end that they might appear more eminent in the *Field*, and be the better taken notice of for their valorous Actions, when they encountred their enemies in Battle, or ſhould draw on their forces to fight.

Note the uſe of theſe Enſigns was yet further extended then the Adorning of

Shields and *Helmets*; for Ships were beautifyed with *Arms* on their *Sterns*, to diſtinguiſh the one from the other, as the Ship where St. *Paul* went, whoſe Badg was *Caſtor* and *Pollux*; alſo the fore-Deck of *Europa* that was carried away, had the form of a *Bull* depicted thereon, which gave occaſion to the fable, that a *Bull* had ſtolen away *Europa*, nor did the Antients only uſe it, but it hath been a Cuſtom in all ſucceeding Ages, even to this day, and from thence doth come the names of *Ships*.

Definition of *Arms*. *Arms* then, according to original uſe, are Tokens or Reſemblances ſignifying ſome Act or Quality of the Bearer, either by ſome worthy exploit performed in *Military Affairs* (eſpecially if beſtowed by a Noble Prince) or elſe by their Learning and Wiſdom, which they do by ſpending their Spirits in continual ſtudy to make themſelves fit for the *Patronage* and defence of their Country.

Rebuſſes. Sometimes there are *Arms* born, which may ſeem to have been deviſed (in their firſt *Inſtitution*) according to the Sir-Name of the Bearer, as 3 Caſtles for *Caſtleton*; three Gates for *Yates*; three Coneys for *Conisby*

Conisby and the like, and ſuch Bearings are called *Rebuſſes* being very Antient.

If there were two diſtinct *Families* of one Sir-Name, yet bearing ſeveral *Coat Armors*, it is not evident that they were both extracted from one *Anceſtor*, for the *Coat-Armour* is the expreſs ſign of Diſtinction.

As ſuppoſe there are two Families divers in Name, and iſſued from ſeveral *Parents*, and both of them do bear one *Coat Armour*, and the name of one of them is agreeable to the *Coat Armour*, and the other diſſonant from the ſame; now the queſtion is, to which doth this *Coat* belong; in anſwer it may according to probability be conjectured, to belong to him whoſe appellation is agreeable therewith, rather than to the other. And it is obſervable, that two diſtinct *Families* ought not, nor are they allowed to bear one and the ſame *Coat-Armour*, but amongſt the *Welſh* this Rule is not obſerved.

There is between the *Arms* and their *Bearers* a kind of Sympathy, inſomuch as he who diſhonourably or unreverently uſeth the Arms of any one, ſeemeth to have offered an affront to the Perſon

Sympat'y of Arms with their Bearers.

ſon of their Bearer, inſomuch that according to the opinion of ſome *Authors*, their owner may right himſelf againſt ſuch an Offender, *actione injuriarum.*

Antient Bearing.

As touching the antiquity of *Arms*, I ſhall give you a Brief account of ſome peculiar *Bearings*. The *Romans* choſe the *Eagle* the greedieſt of all Birds: The *Phrigians* the *Sow*, a hurtful Beaſt: The *Thraſians Mars*: The antient *Goths* the *Bear*: The People of *Alani*, that invaded *Spain* the *Cat*, a greedy and crafty Beaſt: The Old *French* the *Lyon*: The *Saxons* the ſame; but afterwards the *French* that inhabited *France* took the *Toad*, and the *Saxons* the *Horſe* a warlike Beaſt, and now the *French* have the *Flower de-lis*, which they ſay was ſent them by an Angel from Heaven to *Clovis*, the firſt Chriſtian King of *France*: The *Flemins* did bear the *Bull*, in token of valiantneſs and hardineſs The Enſign of the King of *Antioch* was an *Eagle* holding a *Dragon* in his claws: That of *Pompey* a *Lion* with a Sword: That of *Attilla* was a Crowned *Gennet*, and the *Romans* themſelves that were ſaved by Geeſe that watched in the Capitol, could not be moved for ſo great a Benefit

fit received, to bear a *Goose* in their Ensigns.

There be of them also that set in their Shields *Swords*, *Daggers*, *Halberts*, *Axes*, *Towers*, *Castles*, *Engines*, and many other Instruments of Homicide and Destruction: Furthermore the *Ensigns* of the *Persians* was a Bow and Quivers, likewise amongst the Heathen Gods, *Jupiter* chose *Lightning*; *Neptune* the tripple toothed *Mace*; *Mars* the *Javeline*; *Bacchus* the *Spear* wrapped in *Boughs* and *Ivy*; *Saturn* the *Sieth*, and every one of these *Badges* of Arms, according to the nature of his *Cruelty*, *Raving*, *Violence*, *Manhood*, &c. As the Heralds do appoint, are supposed some to be Nobler *Bearings* then others; for the more cruel and fierce the *Beast* or *Fowl* is, the more Noble is that *Shield* esteemed, and those *Targets* or *Shields* that have milder things thereon, as *Trees*, *Flowers*, *Plants*, and the like, also the *Sun*, *Moon*, *Stars*, *Planets*, and other of the *Celestial Spheres*, or such as be parted only with variety of colours, or charged with any of the *Honourable Ordinaries* only, as also by any *Artificial things*, made by the Invention of Man: These and such like things are

not esteemed so Noble as the former, and are not so Antient *Bearings*.

Thus having briefly shewed the first Original Institution and Use of *Arms*, I shall proceed to the practick Exercise of these *Armorial Tokens*, which appertain to the Office of a *Herald*, and is termed *Armory*, and may be thus defined; *Armory is an Art rightly prescribing the true knowledg and use of Arms.*

Definition of *Armory.*

The skill of *Armory* consists in *Blazoning* and *Marshalling*.

Rules in Blazoning *Coats.*

By *Blazoning* is understood the displaying or expressing a *Coat* of *Arms* in its proper Colours and Metals, for to lay *Colour* upon *Colour*, *Metal* upon *Metal* is a great fault, and a different form of *Blazoning* makes the *Arms* not the same.

Rules in *Marshalling Coats.*

By *Marshalling* is understood the joyning of divers *Arms* in one *Shield*, in which you must have a great care, but of this more when I treat of *Arms* joyned together.

You must use no repetition of words, but comprise them in as few as you can.

A *French Armorist* saith, that to *Blazon*, is to express what the Shapes, Kinds, and Colour of things born in *Arms*

Arms are, together, with their apt and proper *Significations*.

In the *Blazoning* of any *Coat* of *Arms*, always obſerve this ſpecial Rule, firſt begin with the *Field*, and then proceed to the *Blazon* of the Charge, and if there be ſundry things charged in the *Field*, whether they be of one or divers kinds, name that firſt which is moſt prædominate, and lyeth next the Field. and then that which is moſt Remote.

The *Blazon* of *Arms* conſiſts in *Accidents* and *Parts*; and ſuch *Accidents* are *Tincture* and *Differences*.

Tincture, as *Guillim* notes, is a variable hew of *Arms*, and is as well common to *differences* of *Arms*, as to *Arms* themſelves, and the ſame is diſtributed into *Colours* and *Furs*. Tincture.

Colours he ſaith is an external Dye, wherewith any thing is coloured or ſtained; or elſe is the gloſs of any body beautified with light; and the *Colour* here mentioned is both General and Special; by *General* is underſtood the proper and natural colour of each particular thing, whether *Natural* or *Artificial*, of what kind ſoever they are Illuſtrated, or ſet forth in their external or proper Beauty. Colours.

Things

Things that are born in their natural *Colours* are to be blazoned proper, and not to mention the *Colours*.

Other things there are in *Armory* which have only names attributed unto them, and no *Colour* ſpecified in the Blazoning thereof, the name being ſufficient to expreſs the ſame, although the form is all one and the ſame, which is in Reſemblance like a round *Ball* or *Bullet*, the names of which are as followeth, with *Colours* appropriate to them.

1. *Beſants*, whoſe Colour is Or.
2. *Plates*, Argent.
3. *Hurts*, Azure.
4. *Torteauxes*, Gules.
5. *Pellet* or *Agreſſes*, Sable.
6. *Pomeis*, Vert.
7. *Golpes*, Purpure.
8. *Orenges*, Tenne.
9. *Guzes*, Sanguine.

In theſe Nine are comprehended all the Colours uſually made uſe of in *Blazonry*.

Terms for Colours.

Coats of *Arms* are *Blazoned* by *Metals* and *Colours*; when they belong to *Gentlemen*, under the Degree of *Nobiles Mino-*

Minores, as *Gentlemen*, *Esquires*, *Knights* and *Baronets*; By *Precious-stones*, when to those of the Nobility, as *Barons*, *Viscounts*, *Earls*, *Marquisses* and *Dukes*; and by *Planets*, when to *Emperours*, *Kings*, and *Soveraign Princes*.

Mettals and Colours.	*Precious Stones.*	*Planets.*
Or	Topaz	Sol
Argent	Pearl	Luna
Gules	Ruby	Mars
Azure	Saphir	Jupiter
Sable	Diamond	Saturn
Vert	Emerald	Venus
Purpure.	Amethist	Mercury
		(Head
Tenne	Jacynthe	Dragons
		(Tail.
Sangnine.	Sardonix.	Dragons

This

Or.



This in Arms is Blazoned *Or*, and ſignifies *Gold*, and the black Speck in the Eſcocheon do expreſs the *Colour*. This *Metal* is ſaid to Inchant the Heart of Fools, and Blind the Eyes of the Wiſe. O the excellency of this Metal, *Heſiod* thus writes, *Aurum eſt in corporibus, ſicut Sol inter ſtellas*; and as this *Metal* doth exceed all others in Purity, Value and Fineneſs, ſo ought the Bearer to endeavour to ſurpaſs all others in Vertue and Prowes. The *Precious Stone* is *Topaz*, which *Diaſcorides* ſaith aſſwages wrath and ill humors, and this Stone was ſet in the Breaſt of *Aaron*.

Topaz.

Sol.

The *Planet* to which Gold is reſembled is *Sol*, of which the *Philoſophers* write, that as the Heart of Man is the Nobleſt, ſo is this *Planet* more worthy then any other, and as it were the comfort of them all.

The



The Colour White is resembled to Light, and is called Argent, this in Dignity and Worth is next to *Or*, and without these two *Metals* no *Armory* can be good. It signifies Hope, Innocency, Continence and Temperance. Argent.

The Precious Stone is *Pearl*, which *Plato* saith hath a restorative Vertue, and is food to man, which is verifyed by *Josephus*, who saith, that when the City of *Jerusalem* was besieged by *Titus Vespasianus*, the *Jews* lived some time only upon *Pearls*, and *Aristotle* saith it comforteth the Brain. Pearl.

The *Planet* is *Luna*, which *Pliny* saith is the Fairness of the Night, the Mother of the Honour, and Lady of the Sea and Times, She is also said to be the changer of the *Air* and *Winds*, and as the Scripture saith, She is the Ripener of, and Increaser of Fruits, as appears by the benediction of *Joseph*, who was blest with the ripe Fruits of the *Moon*. Luna.

The

Gules.



The word *Gules* signifieth Red, the Hatches downwards shews the Colour, which is of that Dignity, that it is used for a Vesture of Majesty and Dignity, and is used by the Judges and Chief Magistrates in their Seats of Judicature.

Ruby. The precious Stone is the *Ruby*, which neither Fire nor Water wasteth or spoyleth.

Mars. Its *Planet* is *Mars*, which of all others is the most Hot and Fiery, he is said to be the God of Battle.

Azure.



The word Azure signifies Blew, and is expressed by Hatches overthwart the *Escocheon*; It is a Royal Colour representing the Skie; it signifies *Loyalty*, *Chastity*, and *Fidelity*. The *Precious Stone* is *Saphir*. which as *Isidore* saith, is both Noble and Excellent, being a remedy against Poyson, and a Preserver of the Sight. The *Planet* is *Jupiter*, which by his goodness, as *Martianus* saith, abateth the Malice of

Saphir.

Jupiter.

of *Saturn*, and augmenteth the goodneſs of the others.



The word *Sable* ſignifies *Black*, and is expreſſed by croſs *Hatches* as in the *Eſcocheon*, and although it doth repreſent Mourning, yet is of a good eſteem in Armory. This Colour ſignifies Prudence, Conſtancy and Heavineſs for the loſs of Friends; the Precious Stone is the *Diamond*, which of all other is of the greateſt value, and is of that hardneſs, that it cutteth all *Stones* and *Metals*. The *Planet* is *Saturn*, the moſt malevolent of all others, and under whom are brought forth Grave *Councellors*, great Builders and good Houſe-keepers. Sable. Diamond.



The word *Vert* is *Green*, and is expreſt by ſtroaks thwart ways, as in the Eſcocheon: This Colour is moſt delightful and comfortable to the ſight, it ſignifies *Love*, *Mirth*, *Peace*, and *Concord*. The Precious Stone is Vert.

Emerald. Venus. is the *Emerald*, which hath in its self singular Vertues. The Planet is *Venus* which is of temperature Cold and Moist, and doth excite to Love.

Purpure.



Purpure is a Colour consisting of much Red, and a little Black, it hath its denomination from a Fish called in Latin *Purpura*. The Precious Stone

Amethist. is the *Amethist*, which for its preciousness was set in the Breast of *Aaron*. The *Planet* is *Mercury*, which is of a goodly Temperature, being of quality good with good, and goeth with evil for Company sake.

Tenny. *Tenny* or *Tawny* is a bright colour, and made of Red and Yellow, and is expresst by *Hatches* like the *Purpure*; Amongst the *French* this Colour is much in use, but not with us. The *Precious Stone*

Jacynthe. is the *Jacynthe*, which is said to be of singular Vertue. This *Tenny* is compared to the *Dragons Head*, which

Dragons Head. although it be not a *Planet*, yet in some respects hath the Nature of a *Planet*, and keeps its constant course in the *Zodiack* as they do.

San-

Sanguine is much like the colour of *Murrey*, and is made of *Lake*, with a little Spaniſh Brown, it is alſo expreſt by Hatches as the *Purpure*, It is a Colour in uſe amongſt the Knights of the *Bath*, as alſo amongſt the *Sergeants* at Law in their Veſtures. The *Precious Stone* to this Colour is the *Sardonix*, which St. *John* in the *Revelations* ſaith, ſhall be the ſixth Stone in the Heavenly *Jeruſalem*. The *Dragons Tayl* is appropriate to this Colour, which though no *Planet*, yet in his Workings and Movings hath the effects of a *Planet* through all the Twelve Signs of the *Zodiack*. Sanguine. Dragons Tayl.

Thus having treated of the *Metals*, and *Colours* uſed in *Heraldry*: I ſhall proceed next to *Furrs*, uſed as well in Doublings of the *Mantles* pertaining to *Coat Armour*, as in the Coat it ſelf.

Furrs, according to *Guillim*, conſiſts of one Colour alone, or of more then one: Furrs.

Furs that are Compounded of two Colours only, are sorted either.

- with *Black* and are either
  - *Black* mixt with *White* as *Ermine*, and *Erminois*
  - Or
  - *Black* mixt with *Yellow* as *Ermenois* and *Pean*,
- Or
- without *Black* such are according to *Leigh*.
  - Vairy, *Argent* and *Azure*.
  - and
  - Verry, Or and Gules, or the like Colours.

But for the better explaining them observe these Examples following.

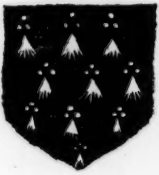
Ermine and Ermenois.



Ermine, that is the Field is Argent, and the Powdering is Sable.

Ermenois, is when the Field is Or, and the Powdering is Sable.

Ermines and Pean.



Ermines, that is the Field is Sable, and the Powdering is Argent.

Pean is when the Field is Sable, and the Powderings are Or.

Verry



Verry or *Vairy*, which is of two sorts, that is if your *Vairy* do consist of Argent and Azure, then in Blazoning to say *Vairy* is sufficient, but if it be compounded of any other Colours, they say *Vairy* of such and such a Colour, naming them. Verry or Vairy.



This Example is Blazoned *Potent-Counter-Potent*, or *Vairy Copy*, and the Colours must be expresst as *Azure* and *Argent*, or the like. *Potent-Counter-Potent.*

In Antient times these *Doublings* or *Furs* were used for lineings of *Robes*, and *Mantles* of *Senators*, *Consuls*, *Kings* and *Emperors*.

Having in Brief given you the Examples of *Furrs*, I shall next proceed to *Bordures*.

Examples of

BORDURES.

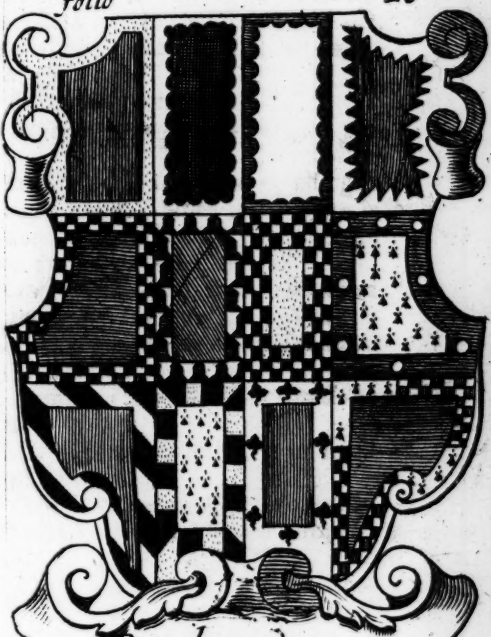
Bordures plain. THE First is Gules, a *Bordure* Or, although this *Bordure* is plain, yet in the Blazoning the word plain is to be omitted.

Engrailed 2. Sable, a *Bordure Engrailed* Argent, this is called Engrailed from the Latin word *Ingredor*, which signifies to go in, or to make entrance, or else from *Gradus*, which signifies a Step or Degree.

Invected. 3. Argent a *Bordure* Invected Azure This *Bordure* is quite contrary to the last, for as the other did enter into the Field, so contrariwise this doth, by the inversion of the points, into it self.

Indented. 4. Gules a *Bordure Indented* Argent. This is so called as being as it were composed of *Teeth*, and in the fashion of *Indentures*.

5. Azure



Bordures,
Plaine and Charged.

5. Azure a *Bordure Counter-Componed* Argent and Gules. Note that *Counter-Compony* doth always consist of two *Tracts*, and no more, whereas that of *Checky* doth of three. Counter-Componed.

6. Vert a *Bordure Vairy*. Vairy.

7. Or a *Bordure Checky* Argent and Sable. Checky.

8. Ermine a *Bordure Azure*, charged with eight *Plates*. Note that a *Plate* is always to be understood to be Argent, without expressing the Colour. Bordures charged.

9. Gules a *Bordure* Sable, charged with three *Bendlets* Argent. What a *Bend* is shall be shewed when I come to speak of *Bends*.

10. Ermine a *Bordure* Gobonated Or and Sable. Gobonated.

This is so termed as being in small and equal Pieces.

11. Gules a *Bordure* Argent charged with *Verdoy of Trefoils* slipped proper, that is Vert. Verdoy of Trefoiles.

12. Azure a *Bordure* quarterly compos'd of *Purflew* Ermin, and *Counter-Compony*, Argent and Gules.

These Examples may suffice, the more curious may be further satisfied in *Guillims* Display of *Heraldry*, in the Chapter of *Bordures*. *Exam-*

Examples of

FILES and LABELS.

Files. 1. ARGENT a File with one *Label* Gules.

2. Azure a *File* of there *Lambeaux* Argent.

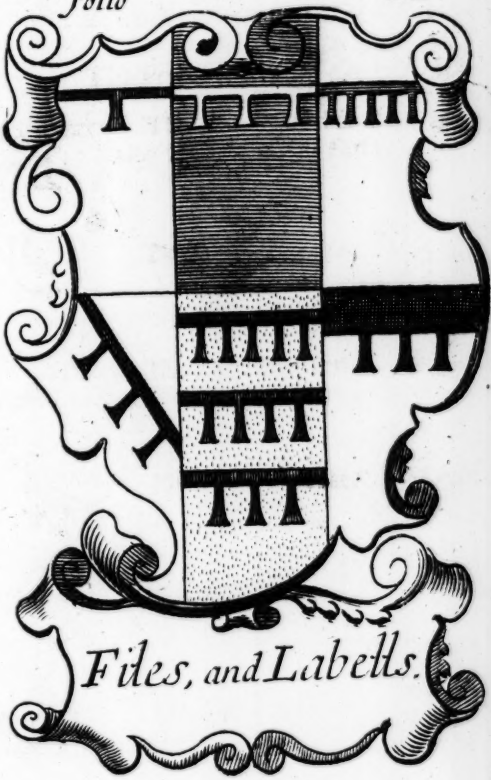
3. A File of five *Points* or *Lambeaux*, Azure.

4. Argent a File of three points in *Bend* Sable.

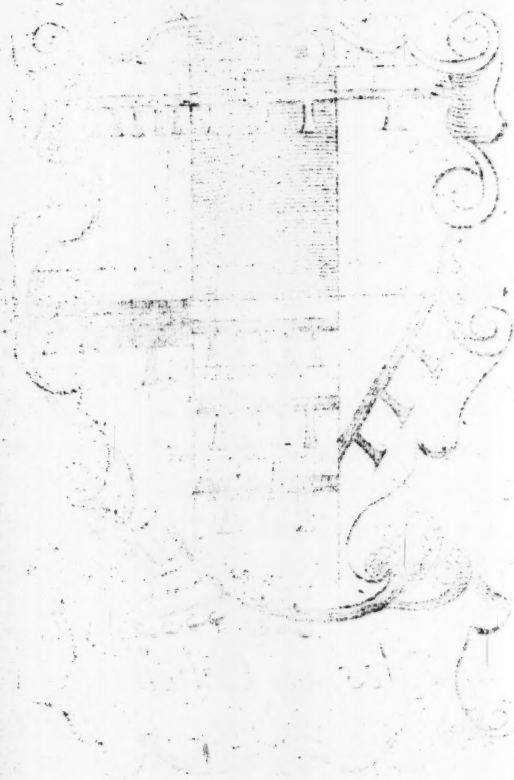
5. Three Files *Bar* ways Gules, the firſt having 5 Points, the Second 4, and the Laſt Tripple Pointed.

6. Argent a File iſſuing out of the *Chief*, without any Intermiſſion at all Sable.

Dif-



Files, and Labells.



Differences or Distinctions of Families in Coat Armour.

The First House.



The Elder Brother during the Life of his Father. Label.



The Second Brother. Crescent.



The Third Brother. Mullet.



The Fourth Brother. Martlet.



The Fifth Brother. Annulet.



The Sixth Brother. Flower-delis.

By these Differences every *Brother* or *House* ought to observe his due difference for the avoiding of contention in *Coat Armour*.

2d. House. The Frst Brother of the Second House beareth a *Crescent* charged with a *Label*. The Second Son of the Second House, a *Crescent* charged with another *Crescent*. The Third Son of the Second House a *Crescent* charged with a *Mullet*. The Fourth Son of the Second House a *Crescent* charged with a *Martlet*. The Fifth Son of the Second House a *Crescent* charged with an *Annulet*. And the Sixth Son of the Second House, a *Crescent* charged with a *Flower-delis*.

3d. House. The *Mullet*, which is the difference of the third House is thus charged; For the First Son with a *Label*; For the Second with a *Crescent*; For the Third with a *Mullet*; For the Fourth with a *Martlet*; For the Fifth with an *Annulet*; And for the Sixth with a *Flower-de lis*.

4th. 5th. and 6th. Houses. The *Martlet*, *Annulet* and *Flower de lis*, being the differences of the *Fourth*, *Fifth* and *Sixth* Houses are charged for Distinctions, as the *Mullet* is.

But

But Daughters are allowed to bear the *Arms* of their Fathers, without any of these *Differences* or *Distinctions*.

The PARTS of ARMS are the *Escocheon*, and the *Ornaments* without the Escocheon, as the *Mantle*, *Helmet* and *Creſt*. Parts of Arms.

The *Accidents* in the *Escocheon* are *Points* and *Abatements*. Accidents.

Points are certain places in an *Escocheon*, diverſly named, according to their ſeveral *Poſitions*, whereof ſome are in the *Middle*, and ſome *Remote*. Thoſe in the Middle are in or near the *Center* of the *Escocheon*, and ſuch are the *Honour*, the *Feſs* and the *Nombril Points*. Points. Middle Point.

The *Feſs Point* is in the exact Center of the *Escocheon*, Feſs Point.

The *Honour Point* is next above the ſame in a direct Line, and the *Nombril Point* is next underneath the *Feſs Point*. Honour Point.

Remote Points are thoſe that are placed at a further diſtance from the Centre of the *Escocheon*, and of theſe ſome are Superior, and ſome Inferior. The Superior are thoſe that have their being in the upper part of the *Escocheon*, and of theſe there are Middle and Extreams: Remote Point.

The

The Middle is the preciſe middle of the *Chief*, between the two Extreams. The two Superior *Extream Points* do poſſeſs the Corners of the Chief part of the *Eſcocheon*, and are called the *Dexter* and *Siniſter*.

Inferior Points. The *Inferior Points* do poſſeſs the Baſe of the *Eſcocheon*, and of theſe there are alſo both Middle and Remote.

But for the better Explanation thereof, I have in an *Eſcocheon* placed *Letters* that anſwers to every one of the ſaid *Parts* or *Points*.

Parts in the *Eſcocheon*.



A. Signifies the *Dexter-Chief-Point*.

B. The *Preciſe Middle Chief*.

C. The *Siniſter Chief*.

D. The *Honour Point*.

E. The *Feſs Point*.

F. The *Nombril Point*.

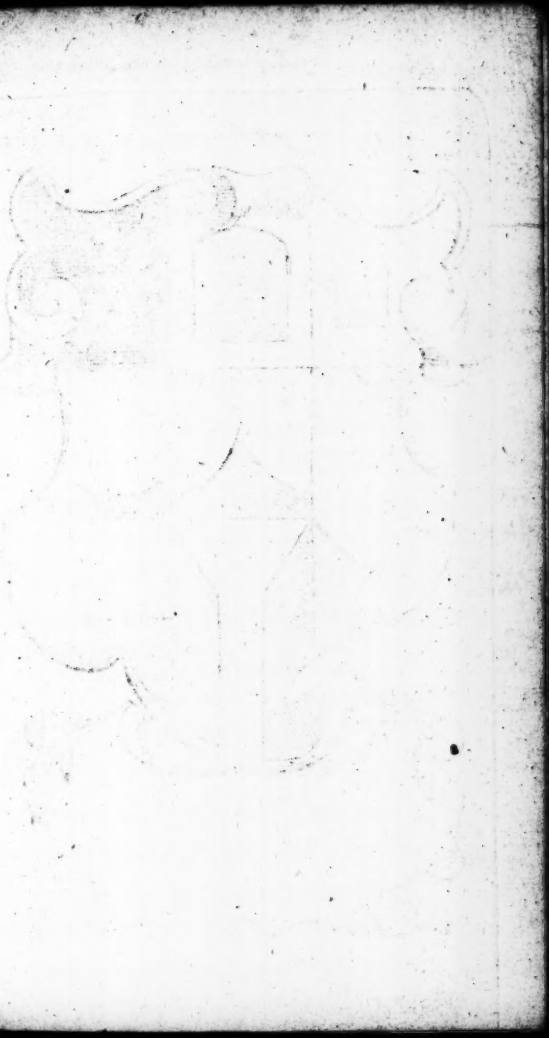
G. The *Dexter Baſe*.

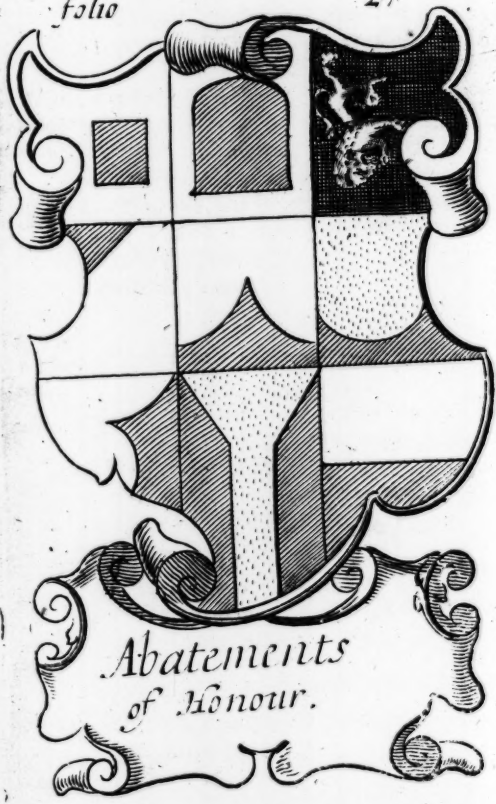
H. The *Dexter Middle Baſe*.

I. The *Siniſter Baſe Point*.

The knowledge of theſe *Points* are of great concernment, and ought to be well obſerved, for oft times they are occupied with ſundry things of different kinds in one *Eſcocheon*.

Ex-





Abatements
of Honour.

Examples of

Abatements of HONOUR.

AN *Abatement* is an Accidental Mark annexed to *Coat Armour*, ſhewing ſome diſhonourable quality or ſtain in the *Bearer*, whereby the Dignity of the *Coat Armour* is abaſed,

Abatements do conſiſt in *Diminution* and *Reverſing*. *Diminution* is a Blemiſhing of ſome particular Point of the *Eſcocheon*, by reaſon of ſome *Stain* and *Colour* which they muſt be always of, as *Sanguine* and *Tenne*, and never of *Metal*, for then they are *Additions* of *Honour*. Now what theſe *Abatements* are, followeth. Abatements.

1. Argent a *Delph* Tenne: This Abatement is due to him that revoketh his challenge. Delph.

2. Or, an *Eſcocheon* reverſed Sanguin, Due for deflowring a Maid. Eſcocheon reverſed.

3. The

Coat reversed. 3. The whole *Coat* Reversed (*viz.*) Sable a *Lyon Rampant*, Argent due to a *Traytor*.

Point Dexter. 4. Or, a *Point Dexter* Tenne, due for too much boasting of his *Martial Acts*.

Point in point. 5. Argent, a *Point in Point* Sanguine, due to a Coward.

Point Campion. 6. Or, a *Point Campion* Tenne, due to him that kills his Prisoner, after he hath yeilded himself and craveth Quarter.

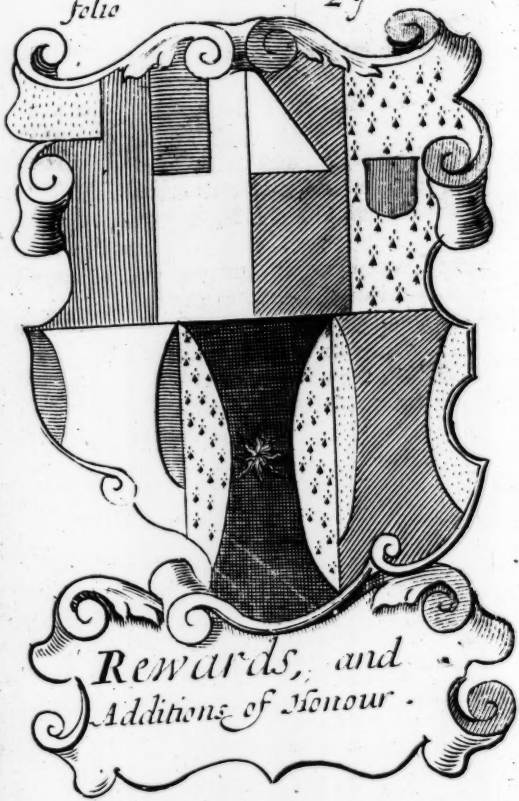
Gore. 7. Argent, a *Gore Sinister* Tenne, due for flying from his *Colours*.

Gussets. 8. Or, two *Gussets* Sanguine, due to him that commits *Adultry*.

Plain point. 9. Argent, a *Plain Point* Tenne, due to him that tells Lyes to his *Prince*, or *General*.

Forms





Rewards, and Additions of Honour.

Forms of

CHARGES:

On which *Rewards* and *Additions* of *Honour* are oft times placed in *COAT-ARMOUR.*

1. GUles, a *Canton* Or. Canton.
2. Argent, a quarter Azure. Quarter.
3. Sanguine, a *Gyron* iſſuing from the Dexter-chief Argent. Gyron.
4. Ermine, an *Eſcocheon* Gules. Eſcocheon.
5. Argent two *Flaſques* Azure. Flaſques.
6. Sable, a Star of eight *Rayſe* or *Points* Or, between two *Flanches* Ermin, and is the Coat Armour of Sir *Henry Hobart* of *Blinkling* in *Norfolk*, Knight and Baronet. Flanches.
7. Tenne two *Voyders* Or. Voyders.

CHAP.

CHAP. II.

Treats of the divers kinds of Escocheons, *what the* Field *and* Charges *are, the Diversity of* Charges, *and their Common* Accidents, *with their* Properties *and* Forms: *And lastly of the Bearing or Using the* Ordinaries *in* COAT ARMOUR; *together with divers* Notes, Rules *and* Observations *to them belonging.*

Escocheons.

Escocheons are either of one *Tincture* or more then one. Those that are of more then one, some are more predominate, and that is said to be predominate, when some on *Metal*, *Colour* or *Fur* is spread, or is understood to be spread all over the surface of the *Escocheon*, which is termed the *Field* or *Shield*; And in such *Escocheon*

cheons as have in them more *Tinctures* then one (as moſt have) the *Field* and *Charge* muſt be obſerved. And in the *Blazoning*, firſt name the Field, and then the Charge thereon, and if there be ſeveral *Charges* (as oft times there is) then name the firſt which is neareſt the Field. Tincture of the Field.

The *Charge* is that which poſſeſſeth the Field, whether it be *Senſitive* or *Vegetable*, *Natural* or *Artificial*, and is placed either throughout all the ſuperficies of the *Eſcocheon*, or elſe in ſome ſpecial part of the ſame. The Charge.

The common *Accidents* of *Charges* are *Adumbration* or *Tranſparency*; or they are *Tranſmutation* or *Counter-changing*. Common Accidents.

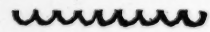
The making of ORDINARIES conſiſts of Lines diverſly Compoſed. Lines are the matter whereof theſe *Ordinaries* are formed, and according to the divers *Tracts* and *Forms* of *Lines*, they receive their divers Shapes and variation of Names. Ordinaries.

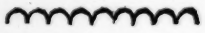
The property of theſe *Lines* are their *Rightneſs* or *Crookedneſs*.

A *Right Line* is carried equally throughout the *Eſcocheon* without riſing, or falling, contrary to which is a crooked *Line*.

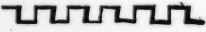
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A *Crooked Line* is either Bunched or Cornered, according to these Examples.

Engrailed. 

Invected. 

Waved. 

Crenelle or Embattuled. 

Nebule. 

Indented. 

Dancette. 

Of these and Streight Lines are composed the *Honourable Ordinaries*; as also *Abatements* and *Rewards* of *Honour*.

The

The Honourable

ORDINARIES.

THE *Honourable Ordinaries* are the *Croſs*, *Chief*, *Feſs*, *Barr*, *Pale*, *Cheveron*, *Bend*, *Saltier* and *Eſcocheon*, all which ſhall be treated of in order. Honourable Ordinaries.

The CROSS taketh up the fifth part of the *Eſcocheon*, but if charged then the third, and it is born as well Engrailed, Invected, Wavey, or the like as plain, alſo 'tis born between a Charge, and charged, as the reſt of the *Ordinaries* are. Croſs.

The CHIEF is ſaid to be given to thoſe, that by their high merits have procured them chief places and eſteem amongſt men. It muſt contain the third part of the *Eſcocheon* in depth, and it is divided into a *Fillet*, which contains the fourth part of the *Chief*, and ſtandeth in the *Chief Point*. Chief. Fillet.

Fess. The FESS contains in breadth the third part of the *Escocheon*, and doth occupy the *Center* of the *Shield*. This hath formerly been taken for the Girdle of Honour, as dividing the Shield into two equal parts.

Bar. The BAR differeth from the *Fess* only in that it contains, but the fifth part of the *Shield*, whereas the *Fess* doth the third. It is divided into the *Closet*, which contains the moity of the *Barr*, and the *Barulet* which is the half of the *Closet*.

Closet.

Barulet.

Pale. The PALE contains the third part of the *Escbocheon*. It is subdivided into a *Pallet* which is the half of the Pale, and is never to be charged with any thing, either Quick or Dead, neither must it be parted; and into an *Endorse*, which is the fourth part of a *Pale*, and is not used but when the *Pale* is between two of them. If the *Pale* be upon any Beast, then you must say, *He is Debruised with the Pale*, but if the Beast be on the *Pale*, then say, *He is Supported of the Pale.*

Pallet.

Endorse.

Cheveron The CHEVERON Represents the *Rafters* of a House, and was in Antient time the Head attire of *Women Priests*. It takes up the fifth part of the Field, and

and is subdivided into the *Cheveronel*, which contains half a *Cheveron*, and a *Couple Close*, which is the fourth part of a *Cheveron*, and is not born but by Pairs, except there be a *Cheveron* between them. Cheveronel. Couple-close.

The BEND doth contain the fifth part of the Field in Breadth if uncharged, but if charged, then the third. Bend.

It is divided into a *Bendlet*, which is limited to the sixth part of the *Shield*; Into a *Garter*, which is the moity of a *Bend*; Into a *Cost*, which is the fourth part of a *Bend*; and into a *Ribon* the moity of a *Cost*. Bendlet. Cost. Ribon.

There is also the *Bend Sinister*, which goeth thwart the *Escocheon* from the *Sinister Chief*, to the *Dexter Base*, which is quite contrary to the other *Bend*; and this is subdivided into the *Scrape*, which is half the *Bend*, and into the *Battune* which is the fourth part of the *Bend*; And this is the most usual Badg of Illegitimacy, but note that the *Battune* doth not extend it self quite thwart the Shield, but wants something at both sides, as by the example will appear. Bend Sinister. Scrape. Battune.

The SALTIER Contains the fifth part of the Shield, but if charged then Saltier.

the third. The *Saltier* is ſaid to be about the height of a Man, and was formerly uſed to Scale the Walls of a Town, and was driven full of Pins, which ſerved for Steps.

This *Ordinary* as the reſt is born *Engrailed*, *Wavey*, or the like, as alſo between Or, charged with a *Charge*.

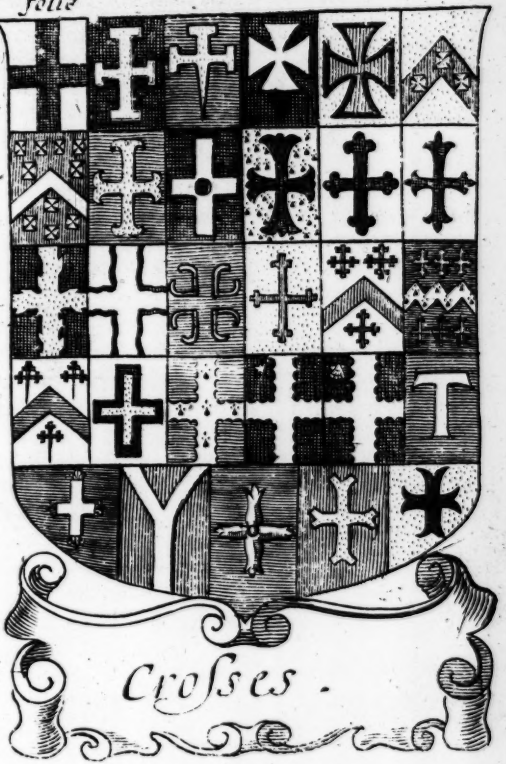
An Ineſcocheon. An *Ineſcocheon* doth contain the fifth part of the Field, and muſt be placed in the *Feſs point*. This is alſo termed an Eſcocheon of Pretence. *Eſcocheon of Pretence*, and is ſo born by thoſe that match with an *Heireſs*, giving therein her *Coat* of *Arms*.

Examples of the ſeveral

CROSSES

Moſt Uſually born in *Coat Armour*.

Raynsford 1. ARgent a Croſs ſable born by Sir *Richard Raynsford* of *Dallington* in



Croſſes.

in *Northampton-ſhire*, Knight, late Lord Chief Juſtice of his Majeſties *Court* of Kings Bench.

Or, a *Croſs* Vert, born by the Name of *Huſſey*. Huſſey.

Ermine, a Croſs Sable, by the name of *Archer*. Archer.

Argent, a Croſs Sable between four *Pellets*, born by Sir *Robert Clayton* of the City of *London*, Knight, Lord-Mayor thereof, *Anno* 1680. Claytor.

2. Sable, a Croſs *Potence* Or; born by the Name of *Alleyn*. Alleyn.

Azure, a Croſs *Potence* Or, by the Name of *Branchley*. Branchley

Gules, a Croſs *Potence* Ermine, by the Name of *Norton*. Norton.

Ermine, a Croſs *Potence* Azure, by the Name of *Lemynge*, Lemynge.

Per Bend, Or and Sable, a Croſs *Potence* counterchanged by the Name of *Alman*. Alman.

3. Azure, a Croſs *Potence* or *Potent Fitche* Or, born by *Etheldred*, King of the *Weſt Saxons*.

4. Sable, a Croſs *Patee* or *Forme* Argent, born by *Mapleſden*. Mapleſden

Gules, a Croſs *Patee* Argent, by the Name of *Croſs*. Croſs.

Argent, a Cross *Patee Flowry* Sable, by the Name of *Swinston*.

Swinston.

Per Pale, Or and Gules, a Cross *Patee*, Counterchanged by the Name of *Clopton*.

Clopton.

5. Or, a Cross *Patee* Gules, fimbriated Sable, that is edged with another Cross of a different Colour.

6. Or, on a Cheveron Gules, three Crosses *Patee* or *Formé* of the Field, born by *William Peck* of *Samford-Hall* in *Essex*, Esquire, Son and Heir of *Edward Peck* of the said place, Sergeant at Law deceased.

Peck.

7. Ruby, a Cheveron between ten Crosses *forme Pearl*, born by the Right Honourable *George Berkeley*, Lord *Berkeley*, *Mowbray*, *Segrave* and *Bruce*, Baron of *Berkeley Castle*, and Earl of *Berkley*, &c.

Earl of Berkeley.

Ruby a Cheveron Ermine between ten Crosses forme, Pearl is born by the Right Honourable *Maurice Berkeley*, Baron *Berkeley* of *Rathdown*, and Viscount *Fitz Harden* of *Bear haven* in *Ireland*.

Viscount Fitz Harding.

Also by the Right Honourable *John* Lord *Berkeley*, Baron of *Straton* in *Somersett-shire*, &c.

Lord Berkeley.

8. Azure

8. Azure, a *Croſs Moline* Or, born by Sir *John Molineux* of *Taverſhal* in *Nottingham ſhire*, Baronet. Molineux.

Azure, a Croſs *Moline* Argent, by the Name of *Trelesk*. Trelesk.

Gules, a Croſs *Moline* Or, by the Name of *Berneſton*. Berneſton

Argent, a Croſs *Moline* Gule, by the Name of *Vudal*. Vudal.

9. Sable, a Croſs *Couped* or *Pierced* Or, by the Name of *Grill*. Grill.

Note that *Piercings* are born round, as in this example, as alſo four ſquare, and *Lozenge ways*.

10. Ermine, a Croſs *Patonce* Sable, born by *Jonathan Goddard* Doctor in Phyſick, and Fellow of the Colledge of Phyſicians. Cod lard.

Gules, a Croſs *Patonce* Argent, by the Name of *Latimer*. Latimer.

Argent a Croſs *Patonce* Sable, by the Name of *Baneſter*. Baneſter.

Vert a Croſs *Patonce* Or, by the Name of *Boydel*. Boydel.

Sable, a Croſs *Patonce* Or, by the Name of *Mannock*. Mannock.

Azure, a Croſs *Patonce* Or, by the Name of *Ward*. Wa d.

Quarterly Gules and Azure, a Cross
Wenman. *Patonce* Or, born by Sir *Richard Wenman* of *Caswel* in *Oxford-shire*, Baronet.

11. Argent, a Cross *Bottony* Sable,
Winwood born by *Richard Winwood* of *Ditton* Park in *Buckingham-shire* Esq; Son and Heir of the Right Honourable Sir *Ralph Winwood* Knight, Principal Secretary of State to King *James*, and Embassador *Ledger* to the States of the *United Provinces*.

12. Argent, a Cross *Flowry* Sable,
Copley, and is the Coat of Sir *Godfrey Copley* of *Sproadbrough* in *York-shire Baronet*.

13. Sable, a Cross *Raguled* Or, by the
Stoway. Name of *Stoway*.

Argent, a Cross *Raguled* Sable, by the
Wroth. Name of *Wroth*.

14. Argent, a Cross *Wavey-voided* Sa-
Duckenfield. ble, by the Name of *Duckenfield*.

15. Azure, a Cross *Moline* Or, void-
ed throughout; this with the addition of Cross *Crosslets* Or, dispersed in the
Knowles. Field, is the Coat of *Knowles*, of which Family is the Right Honourable *Charles*
Earl of Banbury. Earl of *Banbury*, Viscount *Wallingford*, and Baron *Knowles* of *Greys*.

16. Or

16. Or, a Croſs *Croſlet* Gules, by the Name of *Taddington*. Taddington.

Argent, a Croſs *Croſlet* Sable by the Name of *Wickerley*. Wickerley

Argent, a Croſs *Croſlet* Gules, by the Name of *Brightley*. Brightley.

Vert, a Croſs *Croſlet* Or, by the Name of *Bury*. Bury.

Sable, a Croſs *Croſlet* Ermine, by the Name of *Durant*. Durant.

17. Argent, a *Cheveron* between three Croſs *Croſlets* Gules, born by *Richard Stern* of *White Cliff* in *York-ſhire* Eſquire, Son to his Grace, *Richard* late Lord *Arch-Biſhop* of *York* Deceaſed. Stern.

18. Azure, a *Feſs Dauncette* Ermine, between ſix Croſs *Croſlets* Argent, born by Sir *Thomas Barnardiſton* of *Kediton* in *Suffolk*, Knight and Baronet, By Sir *Samuel Barnardiſton* of *Brightwel* Hall in the ſaid County Baronet. Barnardiſton.

19. Argent, a Cheveron Azure between three Croſs *Croſlets* Fitche Gules, born by Sir *John Buckworth* of *London*, Knight. Buckworth.

20. Argent, a Croſs *Couped* Sable, charged with another Or.

21. Azure

21. Azure, a Croſs *Engrailed* Ermine,
Stoughton born by *Nathaniel Stoughton* of *St. Johns* near *Warwick*, Eſquire.

22. Sable a Croſs *Engrailed* Or, in the dexter quarter a *Mullet* Argent by the Name of *Peyton*, of which Family is Sir
Peyton. *Thomas Peyton* of *Knolton in Kent*, Baronet.

By Sir——*Peyton* of *Doddington* in *Cambridg-ſhire*, Baronet: and Sir *Robert Peyton* of *Eaſt Barnet* in *Hartford-ſhire*, Knight.

23. Sable, a Croſs *Engrailed* Argent, in the Dexter Quarter an *Eſcallop ſhell*
Pagit. of the ſecond, born by *Juſtinian Pagit* of *Grays-Inn*, Eſquire.

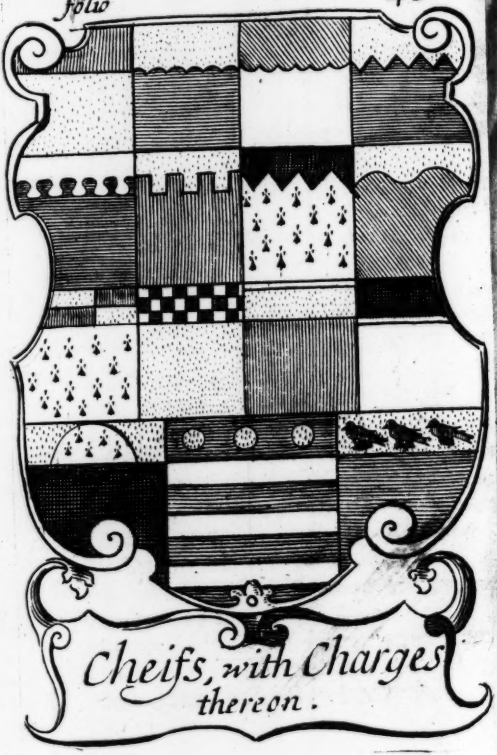
24. Azure, a *Taw* Argent Ermine, or a cheif indented Gules, 3 Taws Or, born by *Edward Thurland* Eſquire, only
Thurland. Son of Sir *Edward Thurland* of *Reygate* in *Surrey*, Knight, one of the Barons of his Majeſties Court of *Exchequer*, Deceaſed.

25. Azure, a Croſs *Flury* Argent, by
Cheney. the Name of *Cheney*.

Sable, a Croſs *Flury* Or, by the Name
Manox. of *Manox*.

26. Gules, a Croſs *Pall* Argent.

27. Azure,



Cheifs, with Charges thereon.

27. Azure, a Croſs *Moulane* Argent.
28. Gules, a Croſs *Furche* Or.
29. Or, a Croſs *Ankrad* Sable.

Thus much for *Croſſes* which may be born between, or Charged with a *Charge*,

Examples of CHIEFS.

1. OR, a *Chief* Gules, born by ſir *Martin Lumley* of *Bradfield* in *Eſſex* Baroned. Lumley.
2. Azure, a *Chief* Engrailed Or.
3. Argent, a Chief Invected Vert.
4. Saphir, a *Chief Indented* Topaz; born by his Grace *James* Duke, Marqueſs and Earl of *Ormond*, Earl of *Oſſery* and *Brecknock*, Viſcount *Thurles*, Baron of *Arklow* and *Lanthony*, Lord High Steward of his Majeſties *Houſhold*, *Knight* of the Honourable Order of the *Garter*, *Chan-* Duke of *Ormond*.

Chancellor of the Universty of *Oxford*, Lord Leiutenant of *Ireland*, and one of the Lords of his Majesties most Honourable *Privy Councel*, &c.

By The Right Honourable *James* Lord *Butler* Baron of *More Park* in *England*, and Earl of *Ossery* in *Ireland*, Grand Child to his Grace *James* Duke of *Ormond*.

Earl of *Ossery.*

By the Right Honourable *Richard* Earl of *Arran*, Viscount *Tulough*, Baron of *Clougrenan* in *Ireland*, and Baron *Butler* of *Weston* in *England*, second Son to his Grace *James* Duke of *Ormond*, and Lord Leiutenant of *Ireland*, *Anno*, 1683.

Earl of *Arran.*

5. Azure, a *Chief Nebule* Argent.

6. Gules a *Chief Crenelle* or *Embattuled* Or.

7. Ermine, a *Chief Dauncette* Sable.

8. Vert, a *Chief Wavey* Or.

9. Ermine, a *Chief* Quarterly Or and Gules, by the Name of *Peckham.*

Peckham.

10. Or, a *Chief Checky*, Argent and Azure.

11. Gules, a *Chief* Argent *surmounted* of another Or.

12. Argent, a *Chief* Sable, in the nether part thereof a *Fillet* Argent.

13. Sa-

13. Sable, a *Chief* Or, charged with a *Shapournet* Ermine.

14. Azure, three *Barrs* Argent, in Chief three *Bezants*, born by Sir *Rich. Atkins* of *Much Hadham* in *Hartfor-ſhire*, Knight and Baronet. Atkins.

15. Azure, on a *Chief* Or, three *Martlets* Gules, born by Sir *William Wray* of *Aſhby* in *Lincoln-ſhire*, Baronet. Wray.

By Sir —— *Wray* of *Glentworth* in the ſaid County Baronet.

This *Ordinary* is ſubject to a *Charge*, as the others are.

Examples

Examples of

FESSES and BARRS.

Eliot. 1. Azure a *Fess* Or, by the Name of *Eliot.*

Barnaby. Ermine a *Fess* Gules, by the Name of *Barnaby.*

Colvil. Or, a *Fess* Gules, by the Name of *Colvil.*

Pennington. 2. Ermine, a *Fess Dauncette* Sable, by the Name of *Pennington.*

West. Argent, a *Fess Dauncette* Sable, by the Name of *West.*

Bengham. Azure, a *Fess Dauncette* Argent, by the Name of *Bengham.*

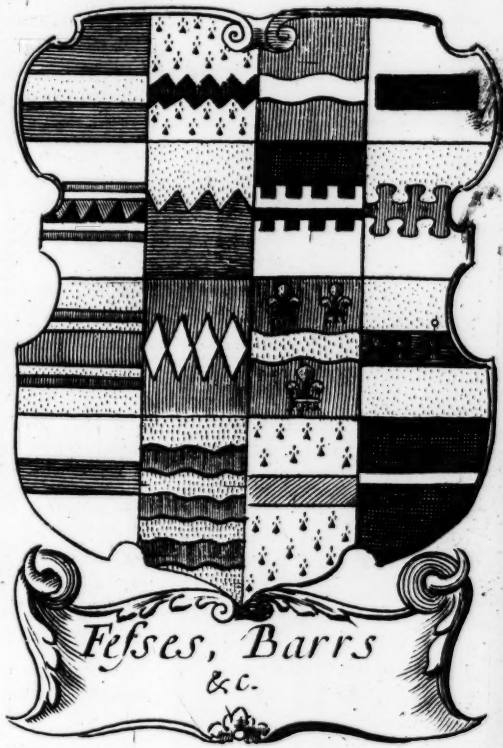
Somner. Vert a *Fess Dauncette* Ermine, by the Name of *Somner* of *Kent.*

Nevil. Argent, a *Fess Dauncette* Gules, by the Name of *Nevil* of *Leicester.*

3. Gules, a *Fess Wavey* Argent.

4. Argent, a *Fess Humid* Sable.

5. Argent,



Fesses, Barrs
&c.



5. Argent, a *Feſs per Feſs Indented* Vert and Sable, between two *Cottizes* counterchanged, by the Name of *Huddy* of *Dorſetſhire*. Huddy.

6. *Per Feſs Indented* Or and Azure, by the Name of *Saunders*. Saunders.

7. Parted *per Feſs* Sable and Argent, a *Feſs Batile Counter-Battled*, Counterchanged.

8. *Per Feſs* Or and Argent, a *Feſs Nebule* Gules, by the Name of *Anteſhed*. Anteſhed.

9. Argent, on a *Feſs* between a double Cottize Gules, three Griffons Heads erazed Or, born by Sir *Robert Daſhwood* of *Norbrook* and *Wickham* in *Oxfordſhire*, Knight. Daſhwood.

And by *Samuel Daſhwood* of the City of *London* Eſquire, now Sheriff of the ſaid City.

10. Ruby, 4 *Fuſils* in *Feſs* Pearl, born by the Right Honourable *George* Lord *Carteret*, Baron of *Hawnes* in *Bedfordſhire* &c. Carteret.

And by Sir *Philip Carteret* of St. *Ouen* in the Iſle of *Jarſey* Baronet.

11. Gules, a *Feſs Wavey* between 3 Flower delis Or, born by Sir *William Hicks* of *Ruckolls* in *Eſſex*, Knight and Baronet. Hicks.

12. Or

12. Or, on a *Feſs* Azure, three *Garbs* of the Field, born by *James Vernon* of St. *Martins in the Field* in *Middleſex*, Eſquire, deſcended from the *Vernons* of *Cheſhire*.

Burkin. 13. Argent, a *Barr* Azure, born by Captain *James Burkin* of *London*, Eſquire.

14. Topaz, three *Barrs Wavey* Ruby, born by the Right Honourable *James* Earl of *Perth*, Lord *Drummond* and *Stobhall*, Steward of *Strathern* and *Balahidder* by Inheritance; Lord Juſtice General of the Kingdom of *Scotland*, one of the extraordinary Lords of the Seſſion, and one of the Lords of his Majeſties moſt Honourable Privy Councel for the ſaid Kingdom.

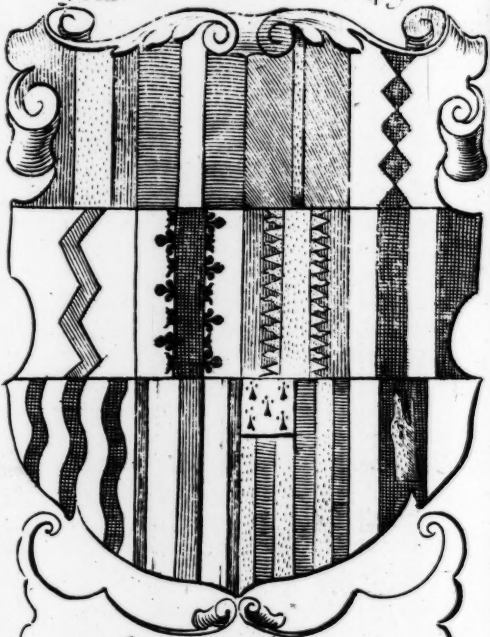
Baſſet. *Barry Wavey* of ſix Or and Gules, born by *John Baſſet* of *Heanton Punchardon* in *Devonſhire*, Eſquire.

15. Ermine, a *Croſlet* Sanguine.

16. Sable, a *Barulet* Argent.

Example





Pales, Pallets &c.

Examples of

PALES.

1. GUles, a *Pale* Or, by the Name of *Grandmain.* Grandmain.

2. Azure, a *Pallet* Argent.

3. Vert, an *Endorſe* Or.

4. Argent, a *Pale Lozenge* Sable, by the Name of *Savage.* Savage.

Gules, a *Pale Lozenge* Argent, by the Name of *Manduit.* Manduit.

5. Argent, a *Pale indented* Vert, by the Name of *Dixon.* Dixon.

6. Argent, a *Pale Flory* Counterchanged Sable.

7. Gules, a *Pale Radiant* Or, by the Name of *Coleman.* Coleman.

8. *Party per Pale* Argent and Sable, a Pale Counterchanged.

9. Argent, three *Pallets Wavey* Sable, by the Name of *Downes.* Downes.

10. Argent, a *Pale* between two *Indorſes* Gules.

11. Paly of ſix Topaz and Saphir, a *Canton* Ermine, born by the Right Honnorable *Robert* Lord *Shirley*, Baron *Ferrers*, of *Chartley*, &c.

Lord *Ferrers.*

12. Argent, on a *Pale* Sable, a Congers Head Erected and Couped Or, born by Sir *Bernard Gaſcoyn*, Knight.

Gaſcoyn.

Note that ſuch *Ordinaries* as are either of themſelves, or elſe by reaſon of ſome charge impoſed on them, do challenge the third part of the *Field*, are exempted from this kind of Bearing one beſides another, of ſuch the Field can conteyn but one of them at once, but their *Derivatives* and *Subdiviſions* may well be ſorted in the ſame *Eſcocheon*, as a *Pale* between two *Endorſes*, a *Bend* between two *Cottizes*, and ſuch like.

Ex-




Cheverons,

Examples of

CHEVERONS.

1. GUles a *Cheveron* Argent, born by *Thomas Fulford* of *Fulford* in *Devonſhire* Eſquire. Fulford.

Argent, a *Cheveron* Azure by the name of *Swillington*. Swillington.

Or a Cheveron Sable by the name of *Heningfield*. Heningfield.

Argent, a *Cheveron* Gules by the name of *Trye*. Trye.

2. Ermine, a *Cheveron couped* Sable, by the name of *Jones*. Jones.

3. Or a *Cheveron* in chief Azure.

4. Sable, a *Cheveron Rompe* Argent.

5. Azure a *Cheveron engrailed voyded* Or, by name of *Dudley*. Dudley.

6. Argent, two *Cheverons* Sable, born by Sir *Joſeph Aſh* of *Twittenham* in *Middleſex* and of *Downton* in *Wiltſhire* Baronet. Aſh.

By *Samuel Aſh* of *Langley-Burwel* in *Wiltſhire*, Eſq.

By *William Aſh* of *Hatchbury* in the ſaid County Eſq.

And by *John Aſh* of *Fifield* in the ſaid County, Eſq.

Bagot. Ermine, two *Cheverons* Azure, born by Sir *Walter Bagot* of *Blithfield* in *Staffordſhire*, Baronet.

Mounſon. Or, two *Cheverons* Gules, born by Sir *John Mounſon* of *Burton* in *Lincolnſhire*, Knight of the Bath and Baronet.

Fanner. Ermine, two *Cheverons* Gules, by the Name of *Fanner*.

Lewkener 7. Azure, three *Cheverons* Argent, born by *John Lewkenor* of *Weſt Dean* in *Suſſex* Eſq.

Lougher. Argent, three *Cheverons* Gules, born by *Richard Lougher* of *Tytleſton* in *Glamorganſhire*, Eſq.

Horne. Gules, three *Cheverons* Or, by the Name of *Horn*.

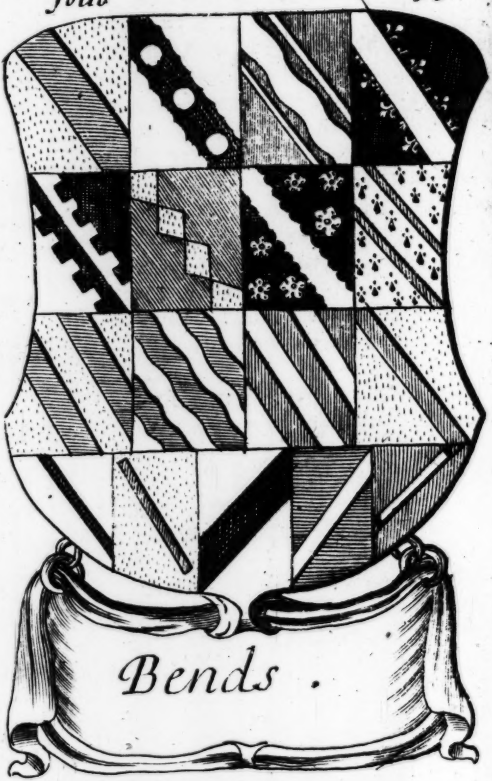
8. Argent, three *Cheverons* reverſed Gules.

9. Argent, a *Cheveron Enarched* Gules.

Fitz-hugh. 10. Azure, three *Cheverons* braced in the baſe of the *Eſcocheon*, Or, by the Name of *Fitz-Hugh*.

11. Ermine




Bends.

11. Ermine, on a *Cheveron* Gules, three Cinquefoils Or, born by *Skepper* of *Lincolnſhire*. Skepper.

12. Gules, a *Cheveron* engrailed between three Owles Argent, born by Sir *George Hewyt* of *Piſhobury* in *Hartfordſhire*, Baronet. Hewyt.

13. *Per Cheveron* Azure and Argent, in Chief two *Falcons* Volant Or, by the Name of *Stephens*, and is born by *Thomas Stephens*, Eſquire, Son and Heir of Sir *Thomas Stephens* of little *Sodbury* in *Gloceſterſhire*, Knight. Stephens.

14. Vert, a *Cheveronel* Argent.

15. Ermine, a *Coupee-Cloſe*, Gules.

Examples of

BENDS.

1. OR, a *Bend* Azure, by the Name of *Caltherupe*. Calthe. Gules, 1 upe.

Colembert. Gules, a *Bend* Or, by the Name of *Colembert*.

Kendal. Argent, a *Bend* Vert, by the Name of *Kendal*.

Cottel. Or, a *Bend* Gules, by the Name of *Cottel*.

Ratcliff. 2. Argent, a *Bend* Engrailed Sable, born by Sir *Francis Ratcliff* of *Dilſton* in *Northumberland*, Baronet.

Culpeper. Argent, a *Bend* Engrailed Gules, by the Name of *Culpeper*, and is the Coat of the Right Honourable *Thomas* Lord *Culpeper* Baron of *Thonway*.

It is alſo born by Sir *Thomas Culpeper* of *Preſton Hall* in the Pariſh of *Aylesford* in *Kent* Baronet.

Grove. Argent, a *Bend* Engrailed Azure, by the Name of *Grove*.

Clark. Or, a *Bend* Engrailed Azure, by the Name of *Clark*.

Marſhal. Gules a *Bend* Engrailed Or, by the Name of *Marſhal*.

Gules, on a *Bend* Argent, three *Croſſes Patte* or *Formé* Sable, is born by Sir *John Kerersby* of *Thribergh* in the Weſt Riding of *York-ſhire*, Baronet, Governour of the City of *York*.

Cutts. Argent, on a *Bend* Engrailed Sable, three *Plates* born by *John Cutts* of *Arksdon*

don in *Eſſex*, and of *Childerly* in *Cambridgeſhire*, Eſq.

Argent a *Bend Wavey* Sable, born by *Henry Wallop* of *Farleigh-wallop* in *Hamp-ſhire*, Eſq. Wallop.

3. Gules, a *Bend Wavey* between two *Cottizes* Or *Coſts*, Argent by the Name of *Etton*. Etton.

Azure, a *Bend Wavey* Cottized Argent, by the Name of *Keynes*. Keynes.

Sable, a *Bend* Engrailed Cottized Argent, by the Name of *Willington*. Willington.

Azure, a *Bend* Engrailed Argent, Cottized Or, by the Name of *Forteſcue*. Forteſcue.

4. Sable, a *Bend* Flory Argent, by the Name of *High-Lord*. Highlord.

Sable, a *Bend* Flory Or, by the Name of *Bromfleet*. Broomfleet.

5. *Per Bend* Sable and Argent, a *Bend Ragule* Counter changed by the Name of *Strangman*. Strangman.

6. Vert, a *Bend Lozenge* Or, by the Name of *Knight*, of *Hampſhire*. Knight.

Sable, a *Bend Lozenge* Argent, by the Name of *Lenthal* of *Oxfordſhire*. Lenthal.

Ermine, a *Bend Lozenge* Gules, by the Name of *Plumley* of *Devonſhire*. Plumley.

7. Sable, a *Bend* engrailed between ſix
Povey. *Cinquefoyls* Or, born by *Tho. Povey* Eſquire, one of the *Maſters of Requeſts* to his Majeſty King *Charles* the Second:

8. Ermine, a *Bend* voided Gules, by
Ireton. the Name of *Ireton.*

9. Or, two *Bendlets* Azure, by the
D'oyley. Name of *D'oyly*, and is born by Sir *John D'oyley* of *Chiſleyhampton* in *Oxfordſhire*, Knight, by *Chriſtopher* D'*oyley* of *Alderbury* in the ſaid County Eſquire, and by *Laud D'oyley* of St. *Giles* in the Fields, in Middleſex, Gent.

Or, two *Bendlets* Gules, born by the
Tracy. Name of *Tracy.*

Or, two *Bendlets* Engrailed Sable, by
Braint-waite, the Name of *Brantwait.*

10. Azure, three *Bendlets* Wavey A-
Wilbra-ham. zure, born by Sir *Thomas Wilbraham* of *Woodhey* in *Cheſhire*, Baronet.

11. *Bendy* of ſix Pieces Argent and Gules.

12. Or, a *Garter* Gules.

13. Argent, a *Coſt* or *Cottize* Sable.

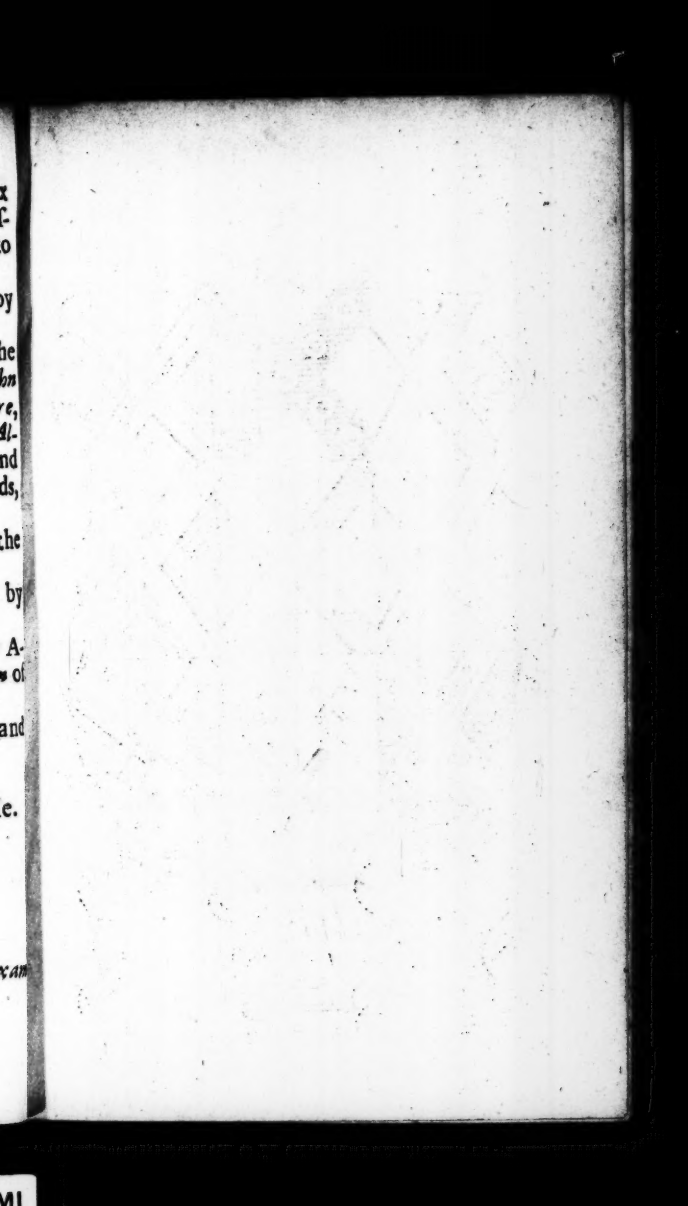
14. Or, a *Ribon* Gules.

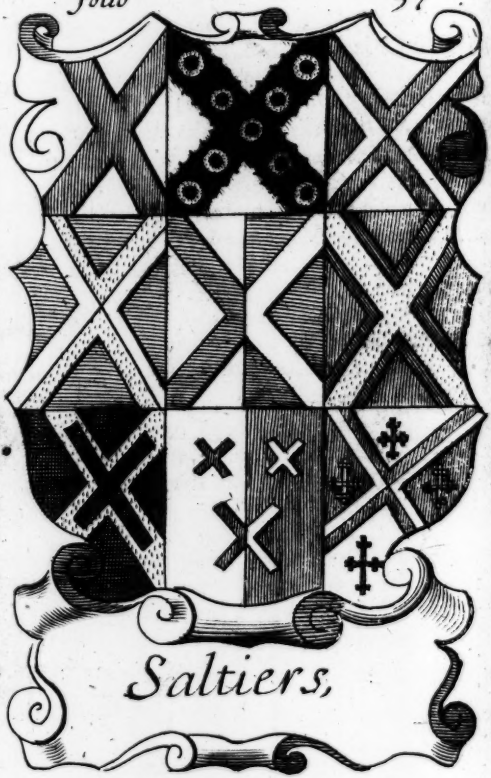
15. Argent a *Bend Siniſter* Sable.

16. Azure, a *Scrape* Argent.

17. Gules, a *Battune* Argent.

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Saltiers,

Examples of

SALTIERS.

1. PEarl, a *Saltier* Ruby, born by the Right Honourable *Charles* Lord *Gerard*, Baron of *Brandon* and Earl of *Maxfield*, &c. Earl of *Maxfield.*

By the Right Honourable *John Fitz-Gerard*, Earl of *Kildare*, Primier Earl of the Kingdom of *Ireland.* Earl of *Kildare.*

By the Right Honourable *Digby*, Lord *Gerard* Baron of *Gerards Bromley*, and Lord of *Dutton.* Lord Gerard.

By Sir *Francis Gerard* of *Harrow-hill* in *Middlesex*, Knight and Baronet.

By *Gilbert Gerard* Cossein of *Brafferton Hall* in the *North Riding* of *Yorkshire*, Esquire, Son and Heir to Sir *Gilbert Gerard*, Knight and Baronet.

Ruby, a *Saltier Pearl*, born by the Right Honourable *George* Lord *Nevil*, Ba- Bergavenny.

Baron of *Bergavenny* in *Monmouth-shire*, but the Family of the *Nevils* beareth in the middle of the Saltier a Rose Gules for a Distinction.

Dering. Or a *Saltier* Sable, born by the Right Honourable Sir *Edward Dering* of *Surrenden Dering* in *Kent*, Baronet, one of the Lords Commissioners of his Majesties Treasury, *&c.*

Baldwin. Argent, a *Saltier* Sable, born by *Martin Baldwin* of *Castle Geshel* in Kings County in *Ireland*, Esquire.

York. Azure, a *Saltier* Argent, born by Sir *William York* of *Burton Pedwarding* in *Lincolnshire*, Knight.

Nevil. Gules, a *Saltier* Argent, charged with a Rose of the Field, born by the Name of *Nevill*.

Ducket. Sable, a *Saltier* Argent, born by *Thomas Ducket* of *Steplemorden* in *Cambridgeshire*, Esquire.

Hunt. Vert, a *Saltier* Or, born by the Name of *Hunt*.

Gage. *Per Pale* Azure and Gules, a *Saltier* Argent, by the Name of *Gage*.

Earl of Scarsdale. 2. Pearl; on a *Saltier* Engrailed Diamond, 9 *Annulets* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *Robert Leak* Earl of *Scarsdale*, and *Baron Deyncourt*.

Vert,

Vert, a *Saltier* Engrailed Argent, by the Name of *Hawley*. Hawley.

And is born by the Right Honourable *Francis* Lord *Hawley*, and by *Henry Hawley* of *Branford* in *Middlesex*, Esquire.

Argent, a *Saltier* Engrailed Sable, born by Sir *George Middleton* of *Leighton* in *Lancashire*, Baronet. Middleton

3. Parted *per Saltier* Argent and Gules, a *Saltier* Counterchanged.

4. Azure, a *Saltier* quarterly quartered Or and Argent, being the Arms of the Episcopal See of *Bath* and *Wells*. Bath and Wells.

5. *Per Pale* Argent and Azure, a *Saltier* Counterchanged by the Name of *Hodbonel*. Hedbonel.

6. Gules on a *Saltier* Or, another Vert, by the Name of *Andrews*. Andrews.

7. Gules, a *Saltier Cleche*, that is pierced through, Or.

8. *Per Pale*, Argent and Gules, three *Saltiers* Counterchanged, born by *Lane* of *London*. Lane.

9. *Circly* of four Argent and Gules, a *Saltier* between as many *Croß Croslets* all Counterchanged, born by *Roger Twisden* of *Bradborn* in *Kent*, Esquire, Eldest Son to Sir *Thomas Twisden*, Knight and Baronet, one of his Majesties Justices of Kings Bench. Twisden.

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Examples of

INESCOCHEONS and ORLES.

1. ERmine an *Inescocheon* Gules.

2. Or, an *Orle* Azure, by the Name of *Bertram.* **Bertram.**

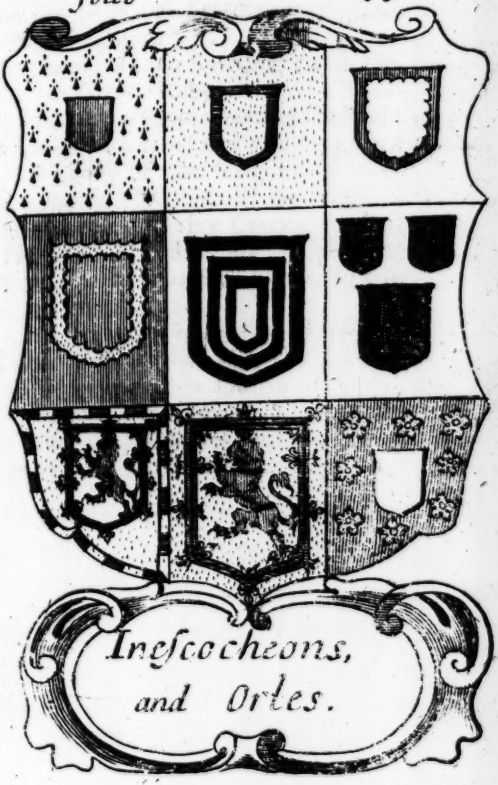
3. Argent, an *Orle* Engrailed on the Innerside Gules.

4. Gules, an *Orle* Engrailed on both sides Or.

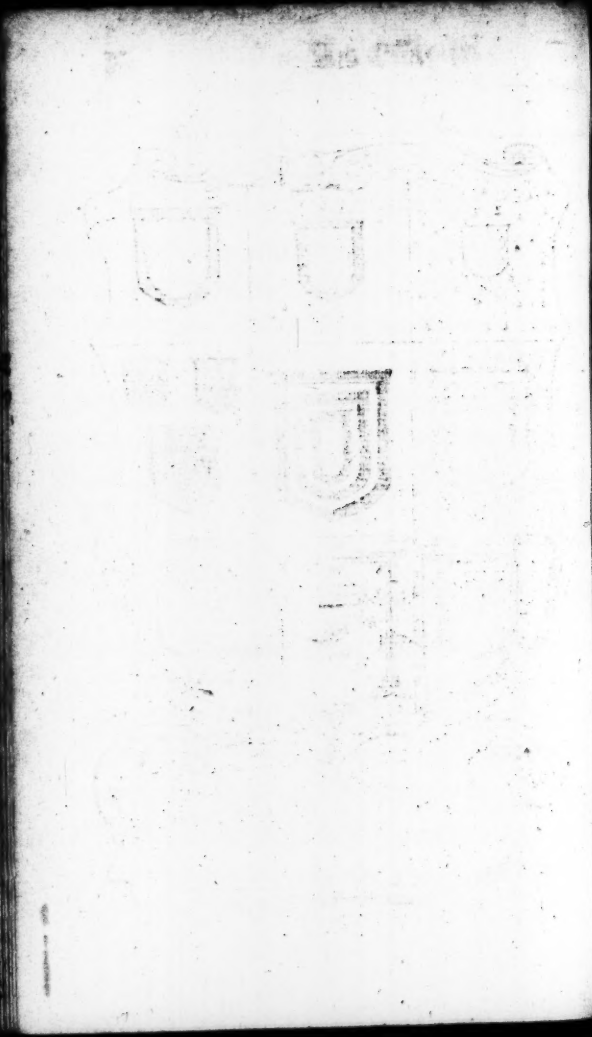
5. Argent, an *Orle* of three Peices Sable.

6. Argent, three *Escocheons* Sable, by the Name of *Lowdham.* **Lowdham**

7. Topaz a Lyon Rampant, and Treasure of *Scotland* Ruby, within a Border gobonated Pearl and Saphir, this is the Coat of the Right Honourable *Alexand*



Inescocheons, and Orles.



Alexander Earl of *Merray*, Lord *Doun* and *Abernethe* in *Scotland*, and one of his Majesties principal Secretaries of State for that Kingdom. Earl of *Merray*.

8. *Topaz*, a Lion Rampant cut in pieces at the Joynts Ruby, within a Treasure of *Scotland* Saphir, born by the Right Honourable *Richard* Lord *Maitland*, Lord Justice *Clarke* of the Kingdom of *Scotland*, one of the Lords of his Majesties most Honourable Privy Councel for that Kingdom, and Eldest Son to the Right Honourable *Charles* Earl of *Lauderdale*, &c. Lord *Maitland*.

9. Gules, an *Inescocheon* Argent, within an *Orle* of *Cinquefoyls* Or, born by Doctor *Hugh Chamberlain* Doctor in Physick in Ordinary, to his Majesty King *Charles* the Second, and by his Brother Doctor *John Chamberlain*, Doctor in Physick. Chamberlain.

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Examples of

PILES.

THe *Pile* is an Ordinary consisting o
a twofold Line, formed like a *Wed*
and is an Antient Addition to *Armory*
being that which makes all *Foundation*
and *Fortifications* sure and Firm, especia
ly upon Mooriſh and Watry Grounds.

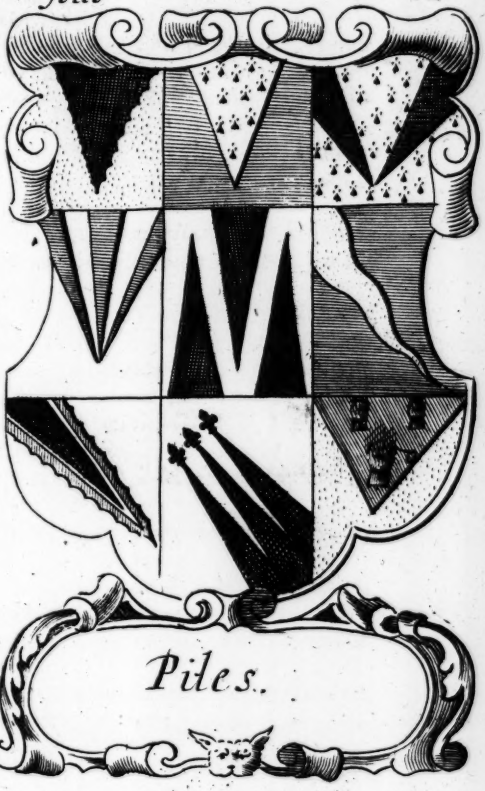
The Examples follow.

1. Or a *Pile* Engrailed Sable, born b
Water-houſe. the Name of *Waterhouſe.*

2. Azure, a *Pile* Ermine, born by S
Wyche. *Cyrill Wyche* of *Flansford* in *Surry*, Knight
ſometime *Embaſſadour* at *Conſtantinople*
for his Majeſty King *Charles* the Firſt.

Azure, a *Pile* Or, by the Name o
Aldham. *Aldham.*

Or, A *Pile* Azure, by the Name o
Bagging-ton. *Bagginton.* Sab



Piles.

Sable, a *Pile* Ermine, by the Name of *Moriſwith*. Moriswith.

3. Ermine, two *Piles* in point Diamond, born by the Right Honourable *John* Lord *Haughton*, Eldeſt Son to the Right Honourable *Gilbert* Earl of *Clare*, &c. Lord *Haughton*,

And is alſo born by the Right Honourable *Francis* Lord *Holles*, Baron *Holles* of *Iſfield* in *Suſſex*. Lord *Holles*.

3. Argent three *Piles*, meeting near the baſe of the *Eſcocheon* Azure, by the Name of *Bryan*, Bryan.

Or, three *Piles* Gules, by the Name of *Baſſet*. Baſſet.

Azure, three *Piles* Or, by the Name of *Salbourn*. Salbourn.

Azure, three *Piles* Gules by the Name of *Gildeſborough*. Gildesborough.

Argent, three *Piles* waved Gules, by the Name of *Candiſh*. Candiſh.

Ermine, three *Piles waved* Gules, by the Name of *Gernon*. Gernon.

Ermyne, three *Piles* Engrailed Sable, by the Name of *Cade*. Cade.

5. Argent, three *Piles*, one iſſuing out of the *Chiefe*, be tween two others, tranſpoſed, or reverſed Sable, born by Captain *Richard Hulſe* of *Betherſden* in *Kent*, Eſquire. Hulſe.

6. Ar-

6. Argent, a *Pile* waved, iſſuing out of the Dexter Corner of the *Eſcocheon* Bendways Or, by the Name of *Aldham.*

Aldham.

7. Argent, a *Pile* in Bend, iſſuing out of the Dexter Corner of the *Eſcocheon* Sable, *Cottized Engrailed* Gules.

8. Argent, a *Triple Pile* flowry on the tops Sable, iſſuing out of the Siniſter Baſe in *Bend*, towards the Dexter Corner.

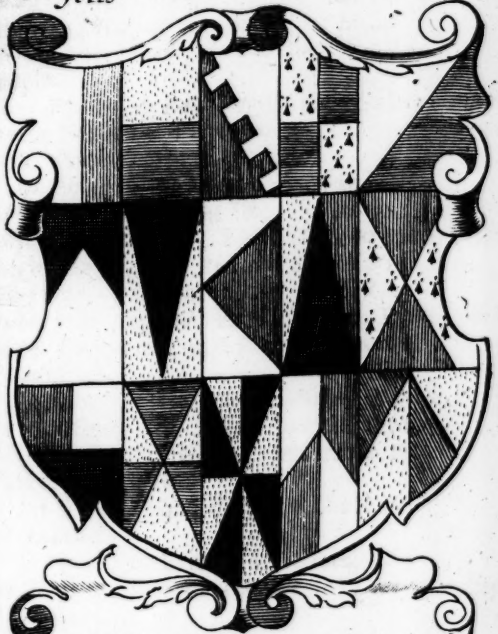
9. Or, on a *Pile* Vert, three *Wheat-Sheaves* of the Field, born by Sir *Anthony Oldfield* of *Spalding* in *Lincolnſhire*, Baronet.

Oldfield.

Partitions of

EXAMPLES.

PArtitions are ſuch in which there is no *Tincture*, that is *Metal*, *Colour* or *Fur* predominating in them, and are formed of ſundry ſorts of *Lines* of *Partition*



Partitions.



tition, occasioning oft times *Counterchanging* and *Transmutation*, and these kinds of *Bearing* are subject to be born *Wavey*, *Engrailed*, or the like: for Example.

1. Parted *per Pale* Argent and Gules, by the Name of *Walgrave*. Walgrave

2. *Per Fess* Or and Azure.

3. *Per Bend Embattuled* Pearl and Ruby, born by the Right Honourable *Boyle* Lord *Clifford*, Eldest Son to the Right Honourable *Richard Boyle* Earl of *Burlington*, and Baron *Clifford* of *Lansborough* in *England*, Earl of *Corke*, Viscount *Dungarvan*, and Baron *Youghal* of *Ireland*, &c. Lord *Clif.* *ford.*

And by the Honourable *Robert Boyle* of *Staulbridge* in *Dorset-shire* Esquire, Brother to the Right Honourable the Earl of *Burlington*. Boyle.

Per Bend Or and Vert, by the Name of *Hawley*. Hawley.

4. Quarterly Ermine and Sable, born by *John Stanhope* of *Elveston* in *Derby-shire*, Esquire. Stanhope.

Some Blazon this Coat parted *per Cross*.

5. *Per Bend Sinister* Argent and Azure.

6. *Per Cheveron* Sable and Argent;
Aſton. born by Sir *Willoughby Aſton* of *Aſton* in *Cheſhire*, Baronet.

7. *Per Pile* in Point Or and Sable. The *Pile* part of this *Coat* may be charged, but no other part thereof, and that may be uſed as one only Coat.

8. *Per Pale* Travers, Argent and Gules.

9. Parted *Per Pile* Tranſpoſed Or, Gules and Sable. This is a Bearing rarely met with.

10. *Per Saltier* Gules and Ermine, by
Reſwold: the Name of *Reſtwold*.

11. *Per Pale* and *Baſe* Gules, Argent and Sable, a Bearing unuſual.

12. *Girony* of 6 pieces Or and Azure.

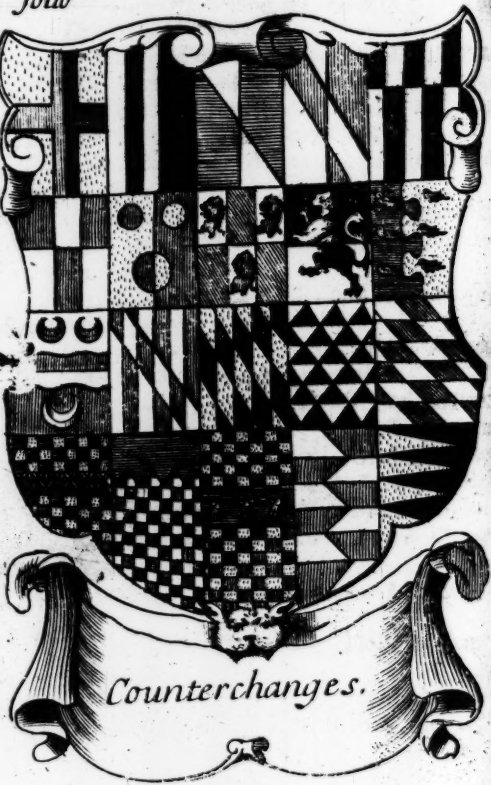
13. *Girony* of eight pieces Topaz and Diamond, and is born by the Right Honourable *Alchibald* Lord *Lorn*, Eldeſt Son to the Right Honourable *Archibald* Earl of *Argile*, Lord *Kintire Champ-*
Lord *Lorn*. *bel* and *Lorn*, &c.

14. *Per Pale* and *Cheveron* Argent and Gules.

15. *Chappe* Or and Vert Counterchanged.

From *Partitions* I ſhall proceed to *Counterchanges*, which doth alſo admit of a Charge




Counterchanges.

Charge, as these Examples will Demonstrate.

Examples of

COUNTERCHANGES.

1. OR a *Cross* parted *per Pale* Gules and Sable, by the Name of *Brook*. Brook.

2. *Per Pale*, Argent and Sable, a Pale Counterchanged.

3. *Per Pale* Argent and Azure, *per Bend Counterchanged*; this the French Armorist term *Tranche*.

4. *Per Pale* Argent and Gules, a *Bend Counterchanged* by the Name of *Chaucer*. Chaucer.

5. *Paly* of six Argent and Sable, a *Chief Counterchanged*.

6. *Per Fess* Gules and Argent, a *Pale Counterchanged* by the Name of *Lavidder*. Lavidder.

7. *Parted per Pale* Or and Gules, three *Roundels* Counterchanged.

8. *Per Fess* Argent and Vert, a *Pale* Counterchanged three *Lyons Heads* Era-
Argal. zed Gules, born by *Sam. Argal* of *Walthamstow* in *Essex*, Doctor in Physick, *Candidat & Honorary* and *Physitian* in Ordinary to Her Majesty.

9. *Per Fess* Sable and Argent, a *Lyon Rampant* Counterchanged by the Name of *Vaugham*, and is born by the Right
Earl of Carbury. Honourable *Richard* Earl of *Carbury* in *Ireland*, and Baron of *Emlyn* in *England*.

10. *Per Pale Nebule* Azure and Or, six *Martlets* Counterchanged by the
Fleetwood Name of *Fleetwood*.

11. *Per Fess* Argent and Gules, a *Bar* between three Crescents Counterchanged.

12. *Paly* of six Argent and Gules, a *Bend Paly* of as many *Counterchanged*.

13, *Paly Bendy* or and Sable.

14. *Barry* of six *Indented* the one into the other Argent and Sable, by the
Gill. Name of *Gill*.

15. *Barry Bendy* Argent and Vert.

16. *Checky* Topaz and Saphir, a *Fess* Ruby, *fretty* Pearl, born by the Right Honou-

Honourable *Charles* Lord *Cheyne*, Viſcount of *Newhaven* in *Scotland*, &c. which ſaid Dignity, upon the Death of his *Lordſhip*, deſcends on his Son and Heir *William Cheyne* Eſq. Lord *Cheyne*.

17. *Checky* Argent and Gules, a Chief *Indented* Azure, born by *Joſeph Micklethwaite* of *Swayle* in *Holderneſs* in *Yorkſhire*, Eſq. Micklethwait.

18. *Checky* Or and Gules, on a *Feſs* Azure, three *Eſcallops* Argent, born by Sir *Robert Baldock* of *Talconeſton* in *Norfolk*, Knight. Baldock.

19. *Barry* of ſix Parted *per Pale Indented* Argent and Gules, Counterchanged, born by *William Peyto* of *Cheſterton* in *Warwickſhire*, Eſq. Peyto.

20. *Barry Pily* of eight pieces, Or and Gules.

Thus much of *Coat Armours* that have an obſcure derivation from ſome of the *Ordinaries*, and do keep their Name. I ſhall next proceed to ſome Examples where two or more *Ordinaries* are joyned in one *Shield*, and which are Subject to a Charge.

Examples of

ORDINARIES

Joyned together.

1. Gules on a *Cheveron* Argent, three *Bars Gemelle* Sable, born by Sir *Barnham Throgmorton* of *Clower-wall* in *Glocesterſhire*, Knight and Baronet.

Throg-morton.

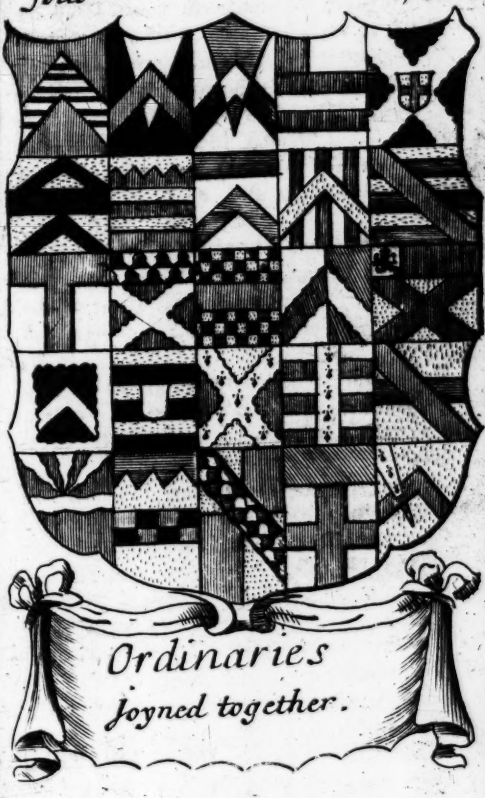
2. Sable, a *Pile* Argent *Surmounted* of a *Cheveron* Gules, by the Name of *Dixon*.

Dixon.

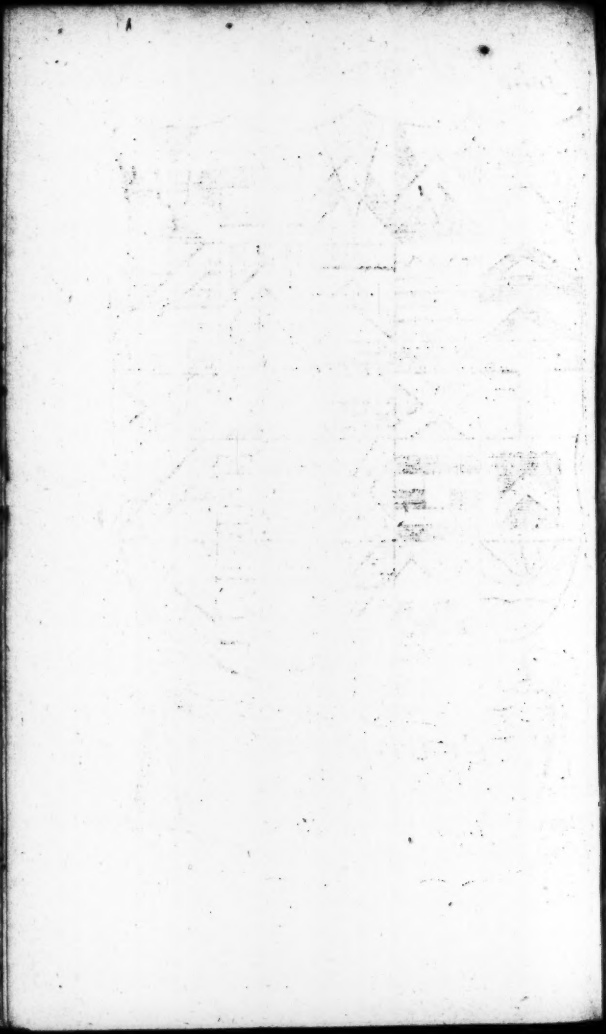
3. Argent on a *Pile* Azure, a *Cheveron* Counterchanged Argent, and Sable, born by Sir *John Otway* of *Igmire*, in the Weſt riding of *York-ſhire*, Knight, *Chancellor* of *Durham*, Vice *Chamberlain* of the County *Palatine* of *Lancaſter*, and one of his Majeſties *Councel* learned in the Law.

Otway.

4. Argent, two *Barrs* Gules, on a *Canton* of the ſecond, a *Croſs* of the firſt, born



Ordinaries
Joyned together.



born by *Thomas Broughton* of *Broughton* in *Staffordſhire* Eſq; Son and Heir of Sir *Bryan Broughton*, Knight and Baronet. Brough-ton.

5. Sable on a *Saltier Engrailed* Argent, an *Eſcocheon* Or, charged with a *Croſs* Gules, by the Name of *Morris*. Morris.

6. Or, a *Feſs* between two *Cheverons* Sable, born by *John Liſle* of *Moxhul* in *Warwick-ſhire*, Eſquire. Liſle.

7. Gules, two *Bars* and a *Chief Indented* Or, born by Sir *Thomas Hare* of *Stow-Bardolph* in *Norfolk*, Baronet. Hare.

8. Argent a *Cheveron* and *Chief* Azure.

9. *Paly* of ſix Argent and Gules, a *Cheveron* Or, born by Sir *Edward Barkham* of *Weſt Acre* in *Norfolk*, Baronet. Barkham.

10. *Barry* of ſix peices Or and Azure, a *Bend* Gules, by the Name of *Gaunt*. Gaunt.

11. Argent a *Pale* and *Chief* Gules.

12. Gules a *Saltier Engrailed* Argent, and a *Chief Vairy*.

13. *Checky* Or and Azure, a Feſs Gules, born by the Right Honourable *Hugh* Lord *Clifford*, Baron of *Chudleigh* in *Devonſhire*, Son and Heir of the Right Honourable *Thomas* Lord *Clifford* deceaſed, late Lord *High Treaſurer* of *England*, &c. Clifford.

14. *Per Pale* Argent and Vert, a *Cheveron* Engrailed Counterchanged.

15. Topaz, a *Saltier* and *Chief* Ruby on a *Canton* Pearl, a *Lyon Rampant* Saphir; born by the Right Honourable *Robert Bruce*, Earl of *Aileſbury* and *Elgin*, Viſcount *Bruce* of *Ampthil*, Baron *Bruce* of *Whorlſtone*, *Skelton* and *Kinloſs*, Lord Lieutenant of the Counties of *Bedford* and *Huntington*, and one of the Lords of his Majeſties moſt Honourable *Privy Councel*, &c. Bruce.

16. Sable, a *Cheveron* within a *Bordure* Engrailed Argent.

17. *Barry* of ſix Or and Sable, an *Eſcocheon*, Argent.

18. Gyrony of four Or and Gules, a *Saltier Engrailed* Ermine.

19. *Barry* of ſix Argent and Gules, a *Pale* Ermine.

20. Or a *Feſs* Azure ſurmounted by a *Bend* Gules, born by Sir *Gervas Elwes* of *Stoke juxta Clare* in *Suffolk* Baronet, and by Sir *John Elwes* of *Grovehouſe* in the Pariſh of *Fulham* in *Middleſex*, Knight. Elwes.

21. Gules, a *Feſs* and three *Piles* in Chiefe Wavey Argent, born by *Sir Juſtinian Iſham* of *Lamport* in *Northampton ſhire*, Baronet. Iſham.

22. Quar-

22. Quarterly Topaz and Ruby, a *Bend Vairy*, born by the Right Honourable *Charles Sackvile* Earl of *Dorset* and *Middlesex*, Baron *Bruckhurst* and *Cranfield*, one of the Gentlemen of his *Majesties Bed Chamber*, and Lord Leiutenant of *Sussex*, &c. Earl of *Dorset*. Sackvile.

This Coat is also born by Collonel *Thomas Sackvile* of *Selscombe* in *Sussex*, Son of Sir *Thomas Sackvile* of the said place, Knight of the *Bath*.

23. *Quarterly* Or and Gules a *Bend* Sable, born by Sir *James Clavering* of *Axwel* in the *Bishoprick* of *Durham*, Baronet. Clavering

Quarterly Argent and Gules, a *Bend* Sable, born by *Tho. Widrington* of *Fenham* in *Northumberland* Esquire. Widrington.

Quarterly Sable and Or a *Bend* Argent, born by *George Laughton* of *Laughton* in *Lincolnshire* Esquire. Laughton

24. Argent a *Cross* Gules and *Chief* Vert.

25. Or, a *Bend* Ermine *Perforated* through a *Cheveron* Gules.

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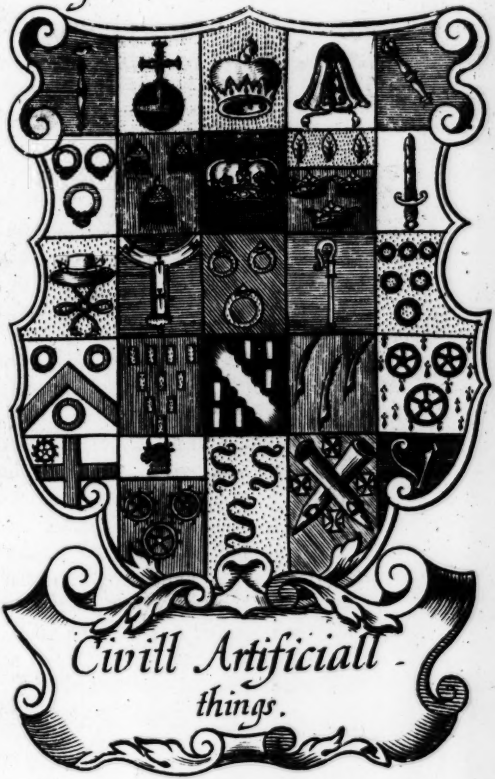
Treats of Goat Armour *formed of things* Artificial, *to wit, ſuch as are made by* Man, *and for his uſe, which ſhall be reduced under ſeveral* Heads, *as they Relate to the uſe of Civil Life, as the* Enſigns *of* Dignity, *both* Temporal *and* Eccleſiaſtical; *or of* Profeſſions *both* Liberal *and* Mechanical, *or as they Relate to* Military Actions, *as well for the* Land *as* Sea.

CIVIL ARTIFICIAL THINGS.

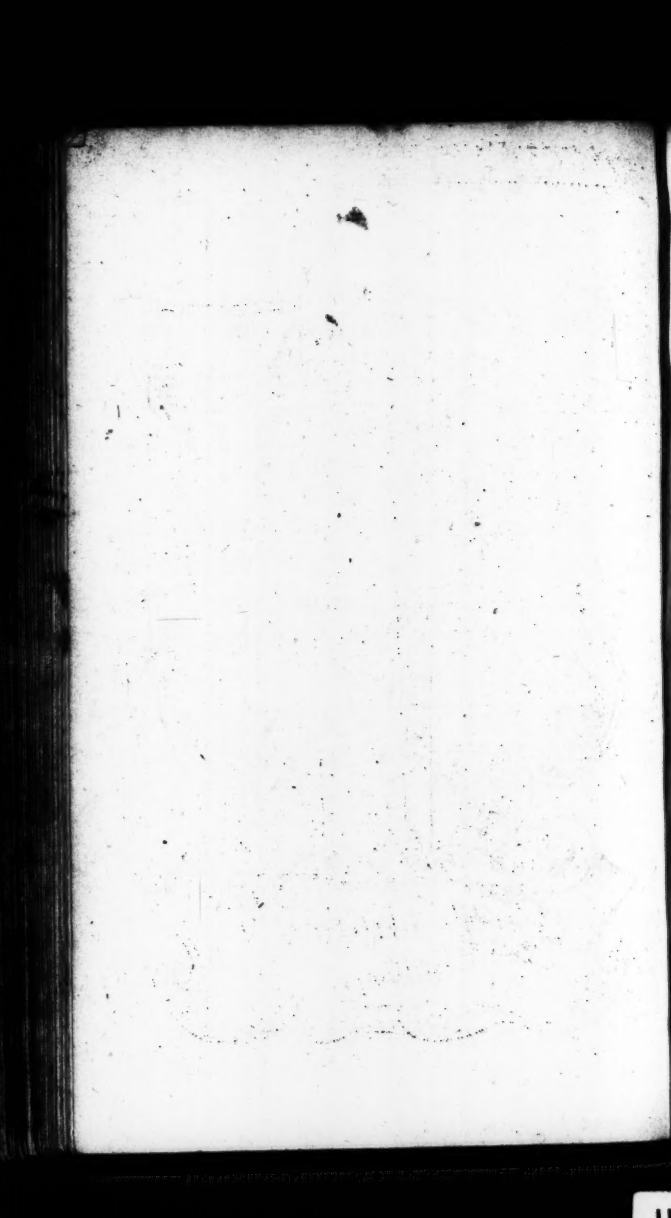
1. *Jupiter* a *Scepter Royal* in *Pale*, inſigned with an *Eye Sol.*

The *Eye* betokeneth Providence in Government, being the *Watchman* of the Body, and the *Scepter* is an Emblem of Juſtice.

2. *Luna*



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2. *Luna* a *Mound*, *Saturn* environed with a *Circle*, and enſigned with a *Croſs Evallant* *Mars*.

This as *Guillim* notes, is an *Enſign* Repreſenting Soveraign *Majeſty and Juriſdiction* of a King, and therefore it is blazoned by the *Planets*.

By the roundneſs of the *Mound*, and inſigning thereof with a *Croſs*, is ſignifyed, that *Religion* and the Faith of *Chriſt* ought to be received and embraced throughout his *Dominions*.

3. *Sol*, a *Cap* of *Maintenance* *Mars* turned up Ermine.

This is called a Cap of *Maintenance*, for that Pope *Julius* the ſecond ſent ſuch an one with a Sword to King *Henry* the eighth, for he had lately before that written a Book againſt *Martin Luther*; and after that, Pope *Leo* the Tenth gave him the Title of *Defender of the Faith*.

4. *Luna*, a *Mantle* of *Eſtate*, *Mars* doubled Ermine, ouched *Sol*, garniſhed with Strings faſtned thereunto fretways dependant, and taſſelled of the ſame.

The *Mantle* is a Robe of *Eſtate* peculiar to *Monarchs*, and free *Eſtates*.

Theſe Arms do belong to the Town of *Brecknock* in *Wales*. Town of Brecknock.

5. *Jupiter*

5. *Jupiter*, a *Mace* of *Majeſty* in *Bend Sol.*

It is called a *Mace* of Majeſty to diſtinguiſh it from a *Mace* born by a Common *Sergeant*.

6. Pearl three *Garters* Buckled and nowed Saphir, garniſhed with *Diamonds*.

This *Garter* is worn by the *Knights* of the *Garter*.

7. Gules three *Taſſels* Or, by the Name of *Wooler*.

Wooler.

8. *Saturn* an *Imperial* Crown *Sol.*

Of *Crowns* I ſhall ſpeak more in the Chapter of external *Ornaments*.

9. Gules three *Ducal Crowns* Or, on a *Chiefe* of the ſecond as many *Laurel Leaves* proper, born by Sir *John Berkenhead* Knight, deceaſed.

Berkenhead.

10. Pearl a *Sword* of *Eſtate* in *Pale*, the point erected Ruby, hilted, and pomelled Topaz; the Scaberd enriched with precious *Stones* proper.

The manner of bearing this *Sword* varieth according to the ſeveral *Eſtates* and *Dignities* of the *Perſons* for whom they are born.

11. Or, a *Cardinals Hat* with *Strings* pendent and plated in true-love, the ends meeting in baſe Gules.

Such

Such *Red Hats* are worn by the *Cardinals* at *Rome* and other *Catholick* Countries.

12. *Venus*, a *Staff* in Pale *Sol*, and thereupon a *Croſs Pattee*, *Luna* ſurmounted off a *Pall* of the laſt, charged with 4. like Croſſes fitched Saturn, edged and ſtringed as the ſecond. This *Coat* belongs to the *Archiepiſcopal See* of *Canterbury*, to whoſe place it appertains to Crown and Inaugurate the Kings of *England*.

13. Vert, three *Gem Rings* Or, enriched with *Turkaſſes* proper.

Though Cuſtom and Time hath made the *Ring* a common Ornament for every *Mechanick Hand*, yet of right none ſhould uſe and wear them, but ſuch as either by *Blood*, *Wars*, *Learning*, or *Office* and *Dignity* were made capable thereof.

14. Azure, a *Biſhops Croſier* in Pale Erect Or. The *Croſier* was given to the *Biſhops* as an Emblem to fetch and draw the Souls of men to their Lord and Maſter *Jeſus Chriſt*.

15. Or, Six *Annulets* 3 2 and 1 Sable, by the Name of *Lowther*, and is born by Sir *John Lowther* of *Lowther-Hall* in *Weſtmoreland* Baronet. Lowther.

By

By Sir *William Lowther* of *Pontefract* in the North-Riding of *Yorkſhire*, Knight.

By *Anthony Lowther* of *Mask* in *Cleaveland*, in the *North Riding* of *Yorkſhire*, Eſq.

By *Henry Lowther* of *Cockermouth* in *Cumberland*, Eſquire,

Azure ſix *Annulets*, 3 2 and 1 Or, born by Sir *Phillip Muſgrave* of *Edenhal* in *Cumberland*, Knight and Baronet, Governour of *Carliſle* Gariſon.

Muſgrave. By Sir *Edward Muſgrave* of *Hayton Caſtle* in the ſaid County Baronet.

By Sir *Chriſtopher Muſgrave* of *Eden Hall* in the ſaid County Knight, ſecond Son to the ſaid Sir *Phillip*.

By *William Muſgravve* of *Muſgrave Hall* in *Penrith*.

By *William Muſgrave* of *Clea*, both of the ſaid County, Eſquires.

And by *Edward Muſgrave* of *Aſhby* in *Weſtmorland*, Eſquire.

Goreing. 16. Argent a *Cheveron* between, three *Annulets* Gules, born by *Thomas Goreing* of *Kinſton* in *Staffordſhire* Eſquire, and by *Lovet Goreing* of the *Inner Temple*, *London*, Gent.

The Charge of *Annulets* are born ſeveral ways, and of greater or leſſer quantities, as by theſe examples may appear.

Ar-

Argent, three *Annulets* in *Chief* Gules.

Azure, five *Annulets* in Croſs Or.

Barry of ſix Argent and Azure, over all three *Annulets* Or.

Per Feſs Argent and Sable, ſix *Annulets Counterchanged.*

Gules on a *Chief Indented* Argent, three *Annulets* Sable.

17. Gules, ten *Billets*, 4, 3, 2 and 1. Or, by the Name of *Cawdrey*. Cawdrey

If the number of *Billets* be ten, or under, then in the blazoning Name, the quantity of them, but if above, then the Number is not expreſt.

18. Diamond a *Bend Engrailed* between ſix *Billets* Pearl, born by the Right Honourable *William* Lord *Allington*, Baron of *Wymondley* in the Kingdom of *England*, and Baron of *Killard* in *Ireland*, *Conſtable* of his Majeſties *Tower* of *London*. Lord *Allington*.

19. Gules 3 *Pens* Argent.

20. Ermine 3 *Wheeles* Sable.

21. Argent, a *Croſs* Gules in the firſt quarter, a *Katherin Wheel* of the ſecond.

This *Wheel* differs from the plain, which is of uſe for *Carts* and other *Carriages*, it having Teeth ſet round it, and was much in uſe in the primitive Age of the

the Church for the torturing *Christians*, and took it's Name St. *Katherin*, that suffered Martyrdom on such a kind of *Wheel*.

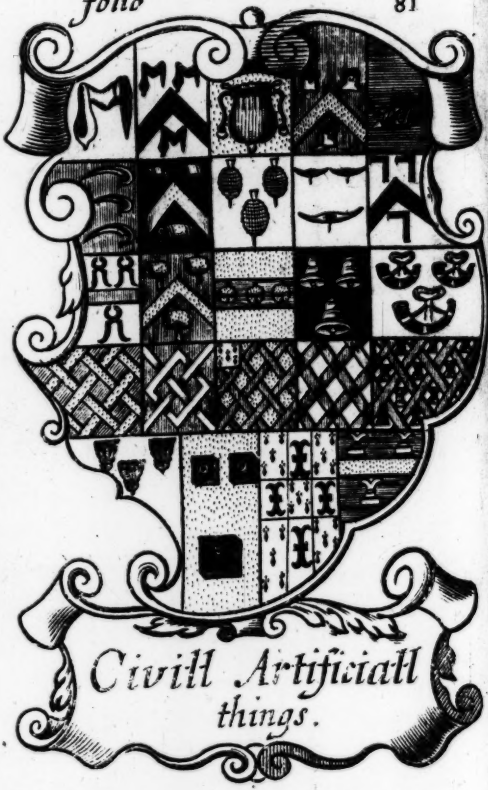
22. Gules 3 *Katherin Wheels* Argent, on a *Chief* of the second a *Bulls head* couped Sable, born by Sir *Phillip Matthews* of *Edmonton* in *Middlesex* Baronet, and by *Joachin Mathews* of *Lincolns Inn* in *Middlesex*, Esquire.

23. Or, three *Text Esses* Sable.

24. Vert, two *Organ Pipes* in *Saltier* between four *Crosses Pattee* Argent.

It is said that *Jubal* the Son of *Lamech* was the first that found out *Musical Instruments*.

25. Azure a *Harp* Or, stringed Argent, this is the Armes of *Ireland*, quartered in his Majesties Royal Atchievement.


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things.

Other Examples of

CIVIL ARTIFICIAL THINGS.

1. PEarl, a *Maunch* Diamond, born by *Theophilus* Earl of *Huntington*, Baron *Haſtings*, *Hungerford*, *Botreaulx*, *Moulins*, *Moules*, *Homet* and *Peverel*, and one of the Lords of his Majeſties moſt Honourable *Privy Councel*, &c. Earl of *Huntington*

The word *Maunch* is derived from the Latin word *Manica*, which ſignifies the *Sleeve* of a *Garment*.

2. Argent, a *Cheveron* between three *Maunches* Sable, born by Sir *Edward Mauncel* or *Mergan* in *Glamorganſhire*, Mauncell: Baronet.

3. Or a *Purſe Overt* Gules.

4. Gules a *Cheveron* between three *Iriſh Broges* or *Shoes*, Or.

5. Azure a *Plough* in Fess Argent, by the Name of *Kroge*.

Kroge.

6. Gules three *Scithes* in Pale Barways Argent, by the Name of *Kemple*.

Kemple.

7. Sable, a *Cheveron* between three *Tuns* Argent, born by the Company of *Vintners*.

8. Argent three *Fusils* upon *Slippers* Gules.

They are called *Fusils* from *fucus*, which signifies a Spindle of Yarn. *Pliny* saith it was a fashion and custom at *Rome*, that when *Maids* were to be Wedded, there attended upon them one with a *Distaff* with dressed Wool, as also with a Spindle and Yarn upon it, to put them in mind that *Housewifery* and *Wivery* were to go together.

9. Argent, three *Weavers Shuttles* Sable, tipped and furnished with their *Quills* of *Yarn* or *Thread* Or, born by *John Shuttleworth* of *Newby Hall* in *Yorkshire*, Gentleman.

Shuttleworth.

10. Argent a *Cheveron* between three Carpenter Squares Sable, by the Name of *Atlow*.

Atlow

11. Argent a *Fess* between three pair of *Pincers* Gules.

12. Gules

12. Gules a *Cheveron* between three *Malletts* Or, born by *John Soame* of little *Thurlow* in *Suffolk* Eſquire. Soame.

13. Or on a *Feſs* Azure, three *Hawks Bells* of the firſt.

Theſe ſort of *Bells* are of great antiquity, being worn by the *Hebrews High-Prieſts* on the *Skirts* of their upper Garments, in their Divine Worſhip, to move the People to Attention. And the great *Bells* were invented to hang in *Churches*, to call the People to Divine Service.

14. Sable three *Bells* Argent, by the Name of *Porter*. Porter.

15. Argent three Bugle, or *Hunters Horns* Sable ſtringed Gules and garniſhed Or, born by *Alan Bellingham* of *Leaven* in *Weſtmoreland* Eſquire. Bellingham.

Argent three *Bugle-hornes* Sable, ſtringed Vert and *Garniſhed* Or, is born by *Humfrey Wyrley* of *Hampſtead Hall* in *Staffordſhire* Eſquire, one of the *Prothonotaries* of his Majeſties Court of *Common Pleas*. Wyrley.

16. Vert, *fretty* Or, born by Sir *Will. Whitmore* of *Apley* in *Shropſhire*, Baronet. W mo

By *William Whitmore* of *Balms* in Middleſex Eſquire.

Sable *Fretty* Or, born by Sir *John Bellew* of *Bellews Town* in the County of *Meath* in *Ireland*, Knight.

Bellew.

17. Gules a *Frett* Argent, born by Sir *Daniel Fleming* of *Ridale* in *Westmoreland* Knight, and by *Edward Fleming* of *Inslow* in *Devonshire* Esquire.

Fleming.

Sable a *Frett* Argent by the Name of *Harington.*

Harinton.

Gules a *Frett Engrailed* Ermine, by the Name of *Eyneford.*

Eyneford.

18. Or *Fretty* Gules, a *Canton* Ermine, born by the Right Honourable *Edward Noel*, Viscount *Campden*, Baron of *Redlington* and *Elmington*, and Earl of *Ganesborough*, Lord Leiutenant of *Rutlandshire*:

Earl of Ganesborough.

And with a due difference, is born by the *Honourable John Noel* of *Luffingham* in *Rutlandshire* Esquire, third Son of the Right Honourable *Baptist Noel*, Viscount *Campden*, &c.

Noel.

19. Argent, a *Frett* of eight peices Gules, each charged in the midst with a *Flower de lis* Or, by the Name of *Hamilden.*

Hamilden

20. Argent *Frette* Gules *semy de Castles* of the second by the Name of *Nechur.*

Nechur.

21. Ar-

21. Argent three *Weels*, their *Hoopes* upward Vert.

22. Or three *Dice* Sable, each charged with an Ace Argent, by the Name of *Awbes Ace*.

There is no Fortune in the *Dice*, but all Ominous, for he that looseth is tormented, and he that wineth is enticed to play on until he is ensnared, and it may be loose far more then he formerly won, besides the ill Accidents that often attend, even to murther it self.

23. Ermine on a Cros quarter pierced Argent, four *Ferdemolins* Sable, born by Sir *Edmond Turner* of *Stoke Rochford* in *Lincolnshire*, Knight. Turner.

24. Azure a *Fess* between three *Chess-rooks* Or, by the Name of *Bodenham*. Bodenhrm

This is a thing used in the Play of *Chests*, being for the defence of all the rest, and stands in the utmost Corner of the *Chest Board*, or *Frontier Castle*.

Other Examples of

CIVIL ARTIFICIAL THINGS.

Warcup. 1. SAble three *Cups* covered Argent, bore by *Edmond Warcup* of *North More* in *Oxfordshire*, Esq.

Butler. 2. Argent, on a *Chief* Sable, three *Cups Covered* Or, born by Sir *James Butler* of *Lincolns Inn*, Knight, *Steward* of his Majesties *Palace* and *Marshalsea Court*.

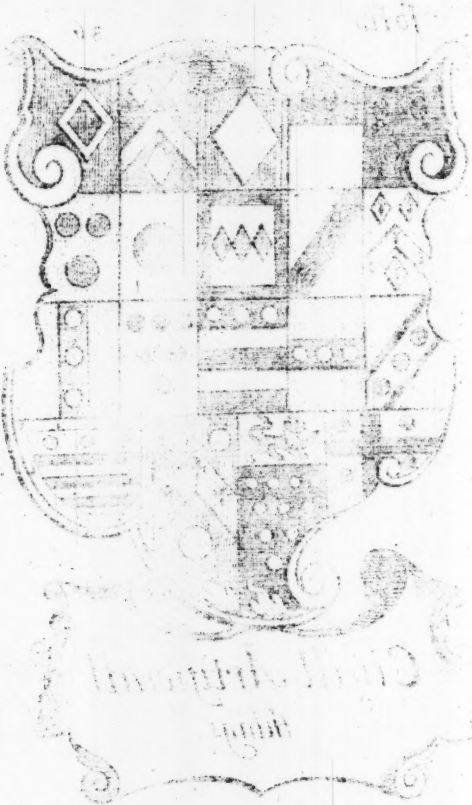
And by *Nicolas Butler* of *Hailes* in over *Rawcliff* in *Lancashire*, and of the *City* of *London*, Doctor in *Physick*.

3. Gules a *Fusil* Argent.

Earl of Clarendon. 4. Saphir, a *Cheveron* between three *Lozenges* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *Henry* Earl of *Clarendon*, Viscount *Cornbury*, and Baron *Hide* of *Hendon*, and by the Right Honourable *Laure Hide*, Earl



Civill Artificiall things.



Earl of *Rocheſter*, firſt Lord Commiſſioner of his Majeſties Treaſury, and one of the Lords of his moſt Honourable Privy Councel. Earl of *Rochester.*

5. Gules a *Maſcle* Argent.

The *Fuſil* is longer then the *Lozenge*, having its upper and lower parts more acute and ſharp then the other two collateral middle parts.

The *Lozenge* differs from the *Fuſil* in that it is not ſharp at the top and bottom, but all the *Lines* of an equal length.

A *Maſcle* is in form and ſhape like the *Lozenge*, but that it is voided as in the *Eſcocheon* appears.

6. Argent a *Cheveron* between 3 Fuſils Ermenois, born by Sir *John Shaw* of *Eltham* in *Kent*, Baronet, and by Mr *Thomas Shaw* of the City of *London*, Merchant. Shaw.

7. Argent on a *Bend* Sable, three *Maſcles* of the Field, born by *Rowland Carleton* of *Ampthil* in *Bedfordſhire*, Gentleman. Carleton.

8. Pearl three *Lozenges* in *Feſs* Ruby, within a *Bordure* diamond, born by the Right Honourable *Charles Mountague*, Earl of *Mancheſter*, Viſcount *Mandevil*, Baron of *Kimbolton*. Montague, Earl of *Manchester.*

Earl of Sandwich. By the Right Honourable *Edward Montague*, Earl of *Sandwich*, Viſcount *Montague* of *Hinchingbrook*, and Baron of St. *Neots*.

By the Right Honourable *Edward* Lord *Montague* of *Boughton*.

By *Edward Montague* of *Horton* in *Northamtonſhire* Eſquire.

And by *William Montague* Eſquire, Son and Heir of the Right Honourable *William Montague*, Lord Chief *Juſtice* of his Majeſties Court of *Exchequer*.

9. Argent a *Rundle*.

The *Rundle* is a thing much uſed in *Coat* Armour, but by different Names, it retaining one and the ſame ſhape, and the Names appropriated to it, doth declare the *Colour* without naming it; and of theſe *Rundles*, there are nine ſorts, (*viz.*) *Bezants* whoſe Colour is Or. *Plates* whoſe Colour is Argent. *Torteaux-es*, whoſe Colour is Gules. *Hurts*, whoſe Colour is Azure. *Pellets* or *Ogreſſes*, whoſe Colour is Sable. *Pomeis* is Vert. *Golpes* is Purpure. *Oranges* is Tenne, and *Guzes* is Sanguine.

And of theſe three are the uſual bearing either in a Field by themſelves, or on, or between any of the Ordinaries, as by the

the Examples in the *Escocheon* doth appear.

10. Or three *Torteauxes*, born by Sir *William Courteney* of *Powderham Castle* in *Devonshire* Baronet. Courteney.

And by *John Courteney* of *Knowstone* in the said County, Esquire.

11. Argent, three *Torteauxes* in *Bend*, Cottized Sable by the Name of *Ince*. Ince.

12. Or, on a Fess Sable three *Plates*, born by Sir *John Bramston* of *Screens* in *Essex*, Knight of the *Bath*, and by *Francis Bramston* of *Sergeant Inn London*, Sergeant at Law, Brother to the said Sir *John*. Bramston.

13. Sable, two *Bars* Argent in Chief, three *Plates*, born by Sir *Edward Hungerford* of *Farley* Castle in *Hampshire*, Knight of the *Bath*. Hungerford.

14. Argent Six *Plates*, three, two and one.

15. Or, on a *Pale* Azure. 3. *Bezants* born by *John Wildman* of *Beaucot* alias *Becket* in *Berkshire*, Esq.

16. Argent a *Cross* Sable between four *Pellets*, born by Sir *Robert Clayton* of the City of *London*, Knight and Alderman, late Lord Mayor thereof. Clayton.

17. Sable

17. Sable ten *Plates*, four, three, two and one, on a Chiefe Argent, a *Lyon* Bridgman *Paſſant* Sable, born by Sir *John Bridgman* of *Caſtle Bromwick* in *Warwick-ſhire*, Baronet, Son aud Heir of the Right Honourable Sir *Orlando Bridgman*, Knight and Baronet deceaſed, late Lord *Keeper* of the Great Seal of *England*.

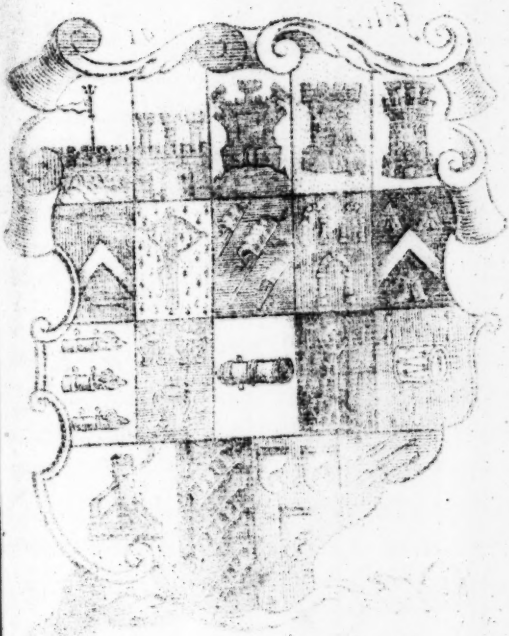
By *Orlando Bridgman* of *Within-Brook* in *Warwick-ſhire* Eſquire, ſecond Son of the ſaid Sir *Orlando*.

And by *William Bridgman* of *York-buildings* in the Pariſh of St. *Martins* in the *Fields* in *Middleſex* Eſquire.

18. Gules on a *Cheveron* Or three *Croſſes Forme Fitche* Sable, between as many Smith. *Bezants*, born by *Eraſmus Smith* alias *Herez* of St. *Jones* in the Pariſh of *Clarkenwel* in *Middleſex* Eſquire, Son of Sir *Roger Smith* of *Edmonthorp* in *Leiceſterſhire*, Knight, deceaſed.

19. Argent, three *Bars* Sable in *Chiefe*, as many *Torteauxes*, all within a *Bordure* Bludworth Ermine, born by Sir *Thomas Bludworth* of *Leather-head* in *Surrey* Knight, Son and Heir to Sir *Thomas Bludworth* of the ſaid place, and of the City of *London*, Knight, Alderman and Lord Mayor, *Anno* 1666.

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Mititary things.

Having treated of *CIVIL ARTIFICIAL THINGS*, next comes in Order *Military things* as well for Offence as Defence.

Examples of

MILITARY THINGS.

1. ARgent a *Tower tripple Tower'd* Gules, chained Tranſverſe the *Port* Or.

Caſtles and *Towers* are places of ſtrength, and commonly ſeated on a lofty Aſſent, and in places of ſtrength both by Nature and Art, and do ſerve for places of refuge and retreat, rather then for the valorous to perform any Noble exploit in, and many times *Caſtles* and *Towers* have proved very pernitious to thoſe that have repoſed truſt in their ſafety.

2. Or a *Tower* Sable, having a *Scaling Ladder* raiſed againſt it in *Bend Siniſter* Argent.

3. Ar-

3. Argent a *Tower tripple Tower'd* Sable, on a *Mount* proper, born by Sir
Chiverton *Richard Chiverton* of *London* Knight and Alderman.

4. Or a *Castle tripple Tower* Gules, the *Ports* Displayed of the Field, leaved Argent.

Mr. *Guillim* observeth that when the *Architecture* or *Masonry* extendeth all over the Field, from one side to the other, it must be blazoned a *Castle*.

5. Argent a *Bridge* of three *Arches* in *Fess* Gules masoned Sable, the streams transfluent proper, a *Fane* Argent, by
Towbridg the Name of *Trowbridge*.

6. Sable a *Cheveron* between three
Tenton. *Tents* Argent, by the Name of *Tenton*.

Tents and *Tabernacles* were the Chiefe Habitation of our Fore-Fathers, and such kind of Habitations were best for their convenience for the often removing their Seat, for the refreshing their *Cattle* with change of *Pastures*. And this *Custom* is at this day observed by the *Tartarians*, and some other of the Eastern People:

7. Gules three *Single Arches* Argent, the *Capitals* and *Pedestals* Or.

8. Azure three *Banners* disvelloped, or displayed in *Bend* Or.

Ban-

Banners are very useful for every *Band* of Foot, or Troop of *Horse* to gather their Company together, each *Banner* having some particular mark of distinction for their better knowledge thereof.

9. Ermine a *Cross Bow* bend in *Pale* Gules, by the Name of *Arblaster*. Arblaster.

The *Cross Bow* is said to be first devised by the *Grecians*.

10. Gules a *Cheveron Engrailed* between three *Trumpets* Argent.

The *Trumpet* was made by the immediate direction and command of *God* to *Moses*, and was to be used for the assembly of the Congregation, and for the departure of the *Camp*. And the sound of the *Trumpet* is but as the loud voice of the *General*, and although the *Trumpeter* fights not, yet his sounding doth much excite and encourage the *Soldiers* to valour.

11. Gules a *Drum* in *Fess* between three *Drumsticks* erected Argent.

This loud sounding *Instrument* is of like use with the *Trumpet*, and used by many Nations.

Zizca that renowned Captain of the *Bohemians* being sick to Death, desired his *Souldiers*, when he was dead, to flea him

him, and make a *Drum* of his Skin, aſſuring them that when their Enemies ſhould hear the ſound thereof they would put them to flight.

12. Sable, a *Beacon* fired Or, the flame proper.

Upon the Invaſion of an Enemy the *Beacons* are ſet on fire, which preſently gives an Alarum to the whole *Country*, and ſuch *Beacons* are placed upon high Hills, as in *Kent*, *Eſſex*, and other Frontier Counties of *England*, for the like occaſion when need requires.

13. Argent a *Culvering* diſmounted in *Feſs* Sable, by the Name of *Leigh*.

Leigh.

14. Azure three *Murthering Chain ſhots* Or.

15. Pearl three *Battering Rams* barways proper, *headed* Saphir, Armed and Garniſhed Topaz, by the Name of *Bertie*, and is born by the Right Honourable *Robert* Earl of *Lindſey*, Baron *Willoughby* of *Eresby*, Lord Great *Chamberlain* of *England*, Lord Leiutenant of *Lincolnſhire*, and one of the Lords of his Majeſties moſt Honourable Privy Councel, *&c.*

Bertie. Earl of *Abington.*

Alſo by his Lordſhips Brother the Right Honourable *James* Lord *Bertie*, Barron *Norris* of *Ryſot*, Earl of *Abington*

Earl of *Lindſey.*

…, and Lord Leiutenant of *Oxford-shire*.

This Coat with a due difference, is born by the Honourable Captain *Peregrin Bertie* of *Walderſhire* in *Kent*.

By the Honourable Captain *Richard Bertie* of *Creton* in *Lincolnſhire*. And by the Honourable Captain *Charles Bertie* of *Uffington* in *Lincolnſhire*, Brothers of the Right Honourable *Robert* Earl of *Lindſey* aforeſaid.

The *Battering Ram* was an Inſtrument much uſed by the *Romans* at their beſieging *Cities*, or holds with purpoſe to ſurprize them; and ſuch an *Engine* did *Titus Veſpatianus* Erect againſt *Jeruſalem*, when he took it.

16. Azure three *Launces* in *Bend* Or.

Guillim obſerves that it was the cuſtom of the *Romans*, before they waged War, after a denial of reſtitution of things unjuſtly taken, or Satisfaction for injuries offered, that their *King* at *Armes* ſhould amongſt other Ceremonies throw a *Spear* headed with Iron, and imbrued with blood, and ſcorched with fire into the ſoyl of that People, againſt whom they intended *Wars*, to declare to them that they would with Fire and Force ſeverely

verely puniſh them for injuries done them.

17. Ruby three *Clarions* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *John* Earl of *Bath*, Viſcount *Greenvile* of *Landſdown*, Baron *Greenvile* of *Kilhampton* and *Bidiford*, Lord Leiutenant of *Cornwal*, Governour of *Plimouth*, Lord Warden of the *Stanneries*, Steward of the Dutchy, *Groom* of the *Stool*, firſt Gent. of his *Majeſties* Bed Chamber, and one of the Lords of his *Majeſties* moſt Honourable *Privy Councel*, &c.

Earl of *Bath.*

The *Clarion* by ſome is ſaid to be a reſt for *Launces*, and by others a *Muſical Inſtrument* uſed in *Battle* and *Turnaments* like unto *Trumpets*, for in many old deſcription of *Tiltings*, we find *Knights* to come in with *Clarions*.

18. Sable three *Scaling Ladders* in *Bend* Argent, by the Name of *Shipſtow*.

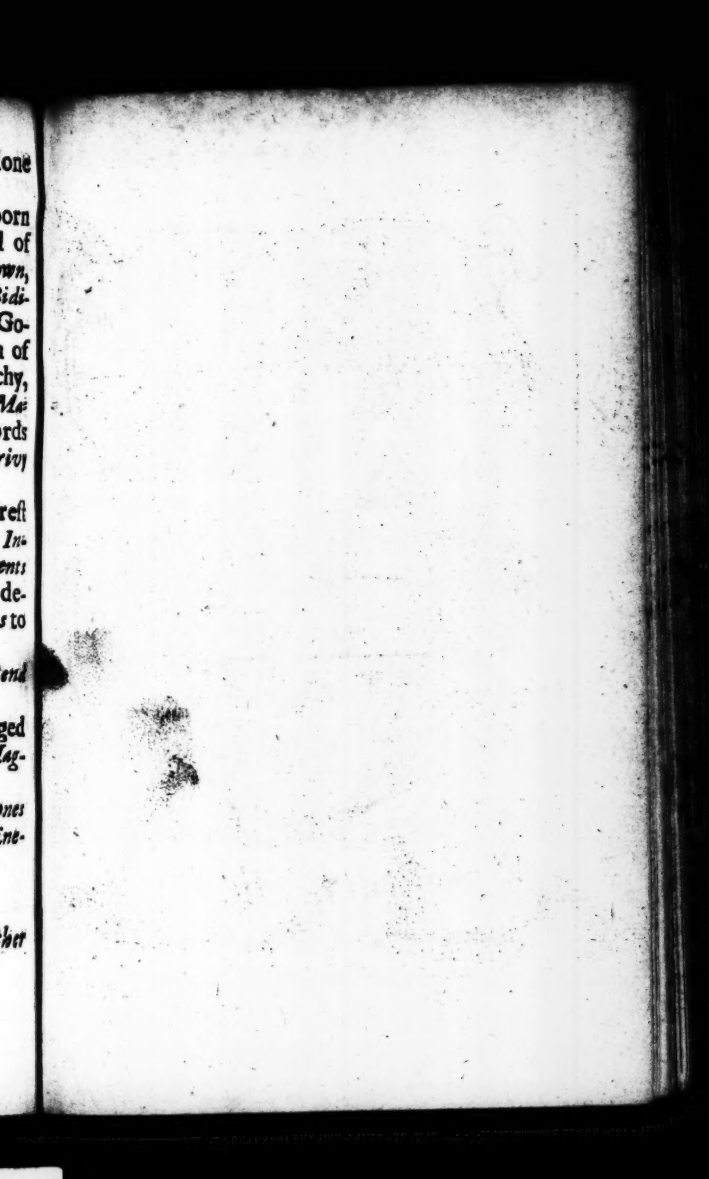
Shipſtow.

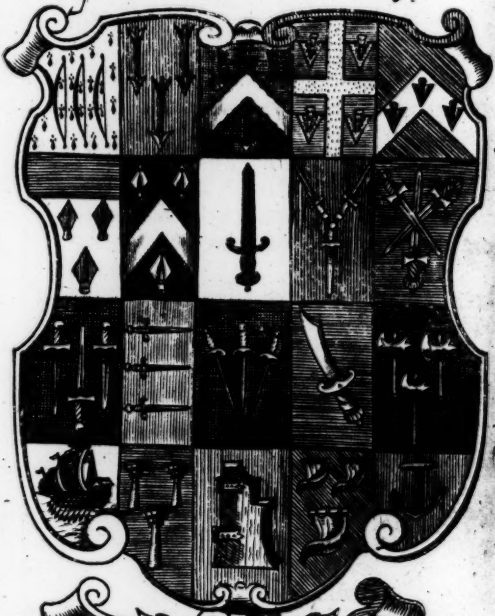
19. Argent a *Sweep* Azure, charged with a Ston Or, by the Name of *Magnal*.

Magnal.

This Inſtrument was uſed to caſt *Stones* into the *Towns*, or *Fortifications* of the *Enemies*.

Other





Military things.

Other Examples of

MILITARY THINGS.

1. ERmine three *Long Bowes* in *Pale Bent* Gules, by the Name of *Bowes.* Bowes.

2. Gules three *Arrows* Or, *feathered* and *headed* Argent, born by Sir *Edward Hales* of *Tunſtal* in *Kent*, Baronet.

By Sir *Robert Hales* of *Beakesborn* in the ſaid County Baronet. Hales.

And by Sir *John Hales* of *Coventry* in *Warwick-ſhire* Baronet.

3. Sable a *Cheveron Engrailed* between three *Arrows* Argent, born by Sir *Humfrey Foſter* of *Aldermaſton* in *Bark-ſhire*, Baronet. Foſter.

4. Saphir a *Croſs* between 4 *Pheons* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *Richard Jones* Viſcount and Earl of *Ranelaugh.* Earl of *Ranelaugh.*

5. Vert on a *Cheveron* Argent, three *barbed Arrow-head* Sable, born by Sir *Charles Keymis* of *Keven Mabley* in *Glamorgan-ſhire*, Baronet.

Keymis.

The *Bow* and *Arrows* were *Military Inſtruments*, much uſed in former Ages, before the Invention of *Guns* by the *Engliſh*, and great Execution was done thereby. And it was the cuſtom of the *Perſians* when they went to war, for every one to put an *Arrow* into a Cheſt for that purpoſe, placed before the Throne of their *King*, and at their return, for every one to take forth an Arrow, and by thoſe remaining, the number of the ſlain did the better appear.

6. Argent three *Spears heads* Gules, a *Chiefe* Azure by the Name of *Reyce*.

Reyce.

7. Sable a *Cheveron* between three *Spears heads* Argent, the points embrewed proper by the Name of *Morgan*.

Morgan.

8. Argent a *Sword* erected in Pale Sable, by the Name *de Dymock*.

Dymock.

The *Sword* is a Weapon fitted for Execution, and hath been uſed in all Ages.

9. Gules three *Swords* conjoyned at the *Pomels* in Feſs, their points extended into the *Corners* of the *Eſcocheon* Argent, by the Name of *Stapleton*.

Stapleton.

10. Azure

10. Azure three *Swords*, one in *Pale* with the Point upwards, Surmounted of the other two, placed *Saltier* ways, with the points downwards Argent, by the Name of *Norton*. Norton.

11. Sable three *Swords*, *one* in *Pale*, *two* with their points downwards, and the middlemoſt upwards Argent by the Name of *Rawlins*. Rawlins.

12. Gules three *Swords Barways* Argent, the *Hilts* and *Pomels* Or, born by *Chaloner Chute* of the *Vine* in *Hampſhire*, Eſquire. Chute.

13. Diamond, three *Swords* with their *Points* downwards, meeting in the middle baſe point Pearl hilted Topaz, born by the Right Honourable Charles Earl of *Wiltſhire*, Son and Heir to the moſt Honourable *Charles* Marqueſs of *Wincheſter*, Earl of *Wiltſhire*, and Baron St. *John* of *Baſing*, &c. Earl of *Wiltſhire*.

14. Azure a *Cartelaſſe* in *Bend* Argent garniſhed Or, by the Name of *Tatnal*. Tatnal.

15. Sable three *Battle Axes* Argent, born by *John Hall* of *Bradford* in *Wiltſhire*, Eſquire. Hall.

16. Argent a *Galley* under full Sayl Azure.

The firſt *Ship* that we read of was made by *Noah*, for the preſervation and increaſe of all living Creatures in the time of the *Deluge*, to wit the *Ark*, but *Jaſon* firſt made the *Galley*, which *Seſoſtris* King of *Egypt* uſed after him.

17. Azure three Peices of *Maſts* Couped with their tops Argent.

18. Gules, a *Ruther* or *Helm* of a *Ship* Argent.

19. Vert three *Sails* Argent, by the Name of *Cavel.*

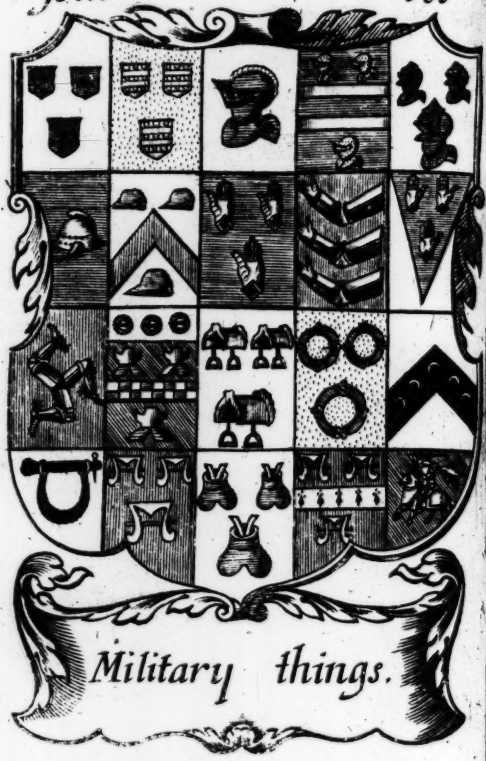
Cavel.

20. Gules, an *Anchor* in *Pale* Argent, the *Timber* or Croſs peice Or, by the Name of *Goodreed.*

Goodreed

The *Anchor* ſignifies ſuccour in extremity.

Other


Military things.

Other Examples of

MILITARY THINGS.

1. ARgent three *Escocheons* or *Shields* Sable by the Name of *Lowdham.* Lowdham.

2. Or three *Escocheons* barry of six Verry and Gules, by the Name of *Mounchensey.* Mounchensey.

3. Argent a close *Helmet* Gules, garnished Or, by the Name of *Kingsley.* Kingsley.

It was the custom of the *Romans* in their *Wars*, to cover the *Head* peices of their light harnessed *Soldiers*, whether Horse or Foot, with the skins of *Bears*; and the *Grecians* used to cover their *Heads* with the skins of *Otters*, instead of *Helmets*, and both to the end that they should appear more terrible and gashly to their Enemies, and by such a surprize they might the better gain the Victory.

4. Azure two *Bars* Argent, between three *Cloſe Helmets* Or, born by *Gabriel Armiger* of *North Creake* in *Norfolk*, and of the *Inner Temple London*, Eſquire.

Armiger.

5. Argent, three *Helmets* with their *Bevers* open Sable, by the Name of *Miniet*.

Miniet.

6. Azure a *Morion* proper. This is the *Morion* now in uſe for the Foot *Soldiers*.

7. Pearl a *Cheveron* Ruby between three *Morions* or *Steel Caps* Saphir, born by the Right Honourable *Francis* Lord *Brudenel*, Son and Heir to the Right Honourable *Robert* Earl of *Cardigan*, Baron *Brudnel* of *Stonton*, &c.

Brudenel.

8. Saphir three left hand *Gauntlets* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *Charles Fane* Earl of *Weſtmoreland*, Baron *de Spencer* and *Burgwaſh*, whoſe ſecond Son is the Honourable Sir *Francis Fane* of *Fulbeck* in *Weſtmoreland* Knight of the *Bath*.

Fane.

9. Gules three *Dexter Arms Vambraced* proper, by the Name of *Armſtrong*.

Armſtrong.

10. Argent on a *Pile* Azure, three *Dexter Gauntlets* of the Field, born by *Thomas Jolliff* of *Coſten Hall* in *Worceſterſhire*

Jolliff.

hire Eſquire, and by *William Jolliff* of *Craſwel Caſtle* in *Staffordſhire*, Eſq.

11. Ruby three *Legs* Armed proper, conjoyned in *Feſs* at the upper part of the Thigh flexed in triangle, garniſhed and ſpotted Topaz. This is the Arms of the Iſle of *Man*, and is quartered by the Right Honourable the Earl of *Derby*. The Iſle of *Man*.

12. Vert a *Bar Company* Argent and Azure, between three *Curaſſes*, or *Breſt-Plates* of Armour of the ſecond, on a *Chiefe* of the ſame, as many *Fermailes* or *Buckles*, as the third by the Name of *Baldberny* of *Scotland*.

13. Argent three *Saddles* with *Stirrups* Gules.

14. Or, three *Chaplets* Vert, by the Name of *Richardſon*.

Guillim obſerveth that *Chaplets* were by the *Romans*, given as a *Reward* of Honour for ſome *Military Services* performed, and they were of ſeveral ſorts, ſome were made of *Lawrel*, others of *Oaken Leaves*, *Palme*, *Ivy*, *Olive*, and ſome of *Gold*, and ſome of *Silver*, alſo ſome of *Roſes*, *Violets* and ſuch like *Flowers*.

15. Argent on a *Cheveron* Sable, five *Horſeſhoes* Or, born by Sir *Nicholas Criſpe* of *Hamerſmith* in *Middleſex*, Baronet. Criſpe.

16. Argent, a *Shackbolt* Sable, by the Name of *Newthal.*

Nevvthal.

17. Gules, three *Waterbougets* Argent, by the Name of *Roos.*

Roos.

18. Gules, a *Feſs* between three *Waterbougets* Ermine, born by Sir *Thomas Meers* of *Lincoln* Knight, one of the *Commiſſioners* of the *Admiralty.*

Meers.

19. Argent, three *Waterbougets* Azure.

This kind of *Waterbouget* was antiently uſed in *Cout Armour.*

20. Vert, a *Chevalier* Armed at all points *a Cape a pee* Brandiſhing his Sword aloft Argent, garniſhed Or, mounted on a Barded Courſer, furniſhed throughout as the ſecond, garniſhed as the third.

CHAP.

CHAP. IV.

Treats of Common Charges *in* Coat Armour *whereof ſome are* Natural, *and meerly* formal *as* Angels, *and* Spirits, *and others both* formal *and* material *as the* Sun, Moon, *and* Stars, *as alſo ſuch* Natures *as are* ſublinar, *as all kinds of* Minerals *which have Life after a ſort as* Vegetables, *and* Senſitive Creatures *which have perfect Life.*

COmmon Charges are *things Natural*, or *Artificial*; thoſe *Artificial* are already handled. Things Natural are Formal, or Material, and are of that great variety that it can't be expected in ſo ſmall a Volumn to paſs through all the particulars of them, but only give ſome examples that may ſerve to inſtruct the *Reader* to Blazon a Coat of the like charge.

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Celeſtials are born ſingle, or upon, or between any of the *Honourable Ordinaries*, and then three are the uſual number.

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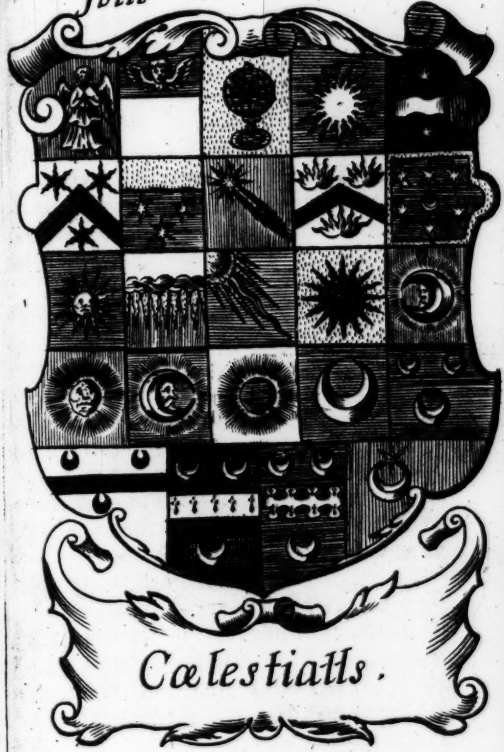
CELESTIALS.

1. *Mars* an Angel ſtanding direct with his hands conjoyned and elevated upon his breaſt habited in a long Robe cloſe girt *Luna*. his Wings diſplayed as prepared to fly *Sol*.

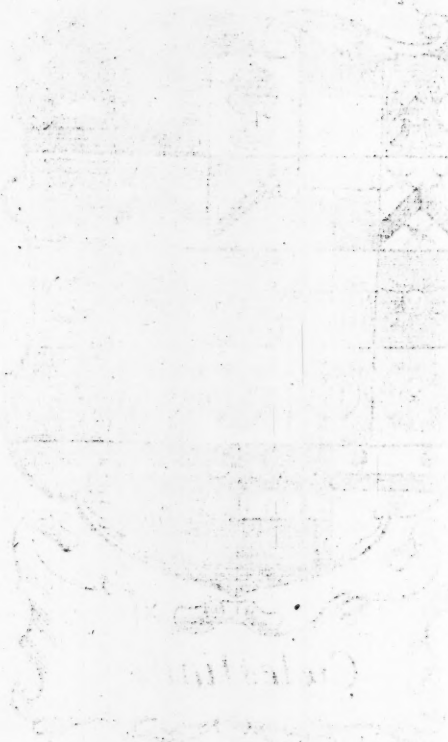
Angels are incorporeal Eſſences of a Spiritual Nature void of all material ſubſtances. They are the *Meſſengers* by whom God hath manifeſted his Will and Power to his Elect, and in Scripture they are ſaid to be miniſtring Spirits.

2. *Luna*, on a chief *Jupiter* a *Cherub* diſplayed *Sol*.

The *Cherubins* were drawn with Wings before the place where the *Iſraelites* prayed



Cœlestialls.



ed manifesting the great speed when they went about the Lords business.

3. Or a *Sphere* Azure beautified, and replenished with variety of Celestial Bodies encompassing the *Terrestrial Globe* all proper.

These were the Ornaments wherewith the shield of *Achilles* was garnished.

4. Azure a *Star* of sixteen points Argent born by *John Huitson* of *Gleasby* in *Yorkshire* Esquire, one of the Captains of his *Majesties Companie* of Foot Guards.

5. Sable a *Fess Wavey* between the *Pole Stars Artick* and *Artartick* Argent, born by Sir *Francis Drake* of *Buckland Monachorum* in *Devonshire Bar*! Descendant of the famous Sir *Francis Drake* Knight that sailed about the World, making great discoveries thereof. Drake.

A *Star* commonly consists of six *Points*, or *Raies*, and then in the Blazoning the number needs not be expresst; but if of more, then name of what number as in the former examples.

Stars were Created by God to give light, and with their influences to be assistant to the *Sun* and *Moon* in the *Procreation*, *Production*, and *Fructification* of *Seeds Plants* and *Herbs*; as also for the designation

nation and foreſhewing of Times and Seaſons as the *Sun* and *Moon* were.

Stars are ſometime peirced, and other whiles charged, and when peirced the peircing is round.

6. Pearl, a *Cheveron* between three *Stars* Diamond, born by the Right Honourable *Charles* Lord Viſcount *Mordaunt* of *Aveland*, and Baron of *Rygate*.

Lord *Mordaunt.*

7. Saphir, three *Stars* and a *Chief Wavy Topaz* born by the Right Honourable *Charles Bodvel*, Viſcount *Bodmyn* Grandſon and Heir to the Right Honourable *John* Lord *Robarts*, Baron of *Truro*, Viſcount *Bodmyn*, Earl of *Radnor*, and Lord *Preſident* of His *Majeſties* moſt Honourable Privy Counſel. And is alſo born by the Honourable *Hender*, and *Francis Robarts* Eſquires, Sons of the Right Honourable *John* Earl of *Radnor*, *&c.*

Lord *Bodmyn.*

Robarts.

8. Gules, a *Blazing Star*, or *Comet* ſtreaming in *Bend* proper.

The *Comets* have been obſerved to Prognoſticate dreadful events of things to come, as *Peſtilence*, *Famine*, *War* and the like.

Sometimes the ſtream is born upwards as it was before the great Peſtilence in 1665, but moſt commonly it is born downwards.

9. Argent

9. Argent, a *Cheveron* Sable between three *Flames* of Fire proper.

Fire in the *Scripture* is oft times taken for a ſpecial token of Gods favour, and that he is pleaſed with the Sacrifices that are done unto him, and Fire betokeneth zeal. Some Writers affirm that none of the *Mechanical Trades* were found out before they had Fire; but afterwards daily was put in practice ſome new invention or other, yet as it is a good Servant ſo it is (as alſo Water) a bad Maſter.

10. Azure, a *Creſcent* encircled within an *Orl of Stars* Or, a *Border* of the Second, born by *Thomas Burton* of *London* Eſquire. *Burton.*

11. Azure a *Sun* in his Glory, by the name of Saint *Clere*. *St. Clere.*

The *Sun* is a glorious Body, the Fountain of Light, and the production of *Fruits*, *Plants*, and all the Splendor that the *Moon* hath ſhe borroweth from him, and between both theſe there is a great conformity.

12. Gules a *Chief* Argent on the lower part thereof a *Cloud*, the *Suns* reſplendent Raies iſſuing thereout proper, by the name of *Leſone*. *Leſone.*

13. Azure one *Raye* of the *Sun* iſſuing

ing out of the dexter corner of the *Eſcocheon Bendwayes* proper by the name of *Aldam.*

Aldam.

14. Or a *Sun* Eclipſed Sable.

The *Suns Eclipſe* is occaſioned by the interpoſition of the *Moon* betwixt it and the Earth.

Deſcen.

15. Gules an *Increſcent* Or by the name of *Deſcus.*

This is the State of the *Moon* from her entrance into her firſt quarter, in which time ſhe is more and more illuminated until ſhe hath filled her Circle.

16. Gules, a *Moon* in her Complement Or Illuſtrated with all her Light proper which is ſufficient without naming the colour which is Argent.

The *Moon* is the *Miſtreſs* by which all moiſt, mutable, and inconſtant things are ruled, as a *Woman*, the *Sea*, *Rivers*, and *Fountains* The Ebbing and Flowing of the Sea following the *Moons* motion.

De la Luna.

17. Azure, a *Moon decreſſent* proper, by the name of *De la Luna.*

This is the ſtate of the *Moon* in her Wain, the Horns muſt always be turned towards the left hand of the *Eſcocheon*, as that in her *Complement* is towards the right.

Ar-

18. Argent, a *Moon* in her detriment or *Eclipſe* Sable.

The *Moon* is eclipſed always in her full State, and is ſo occaſioned by the interpoſition of the Earth betwixt her and the Sun.

Lucy.

19. Azure, a *Creſcent* Argent, born by *Jacob Lucy* of *London* Eſquire.

Rider.

20. Azure, three *Creſcents* Or, born by *Robert Rither*, or *Rider* of *Scarcraft* in *Yorkſhire* Eſquire. And by *Thomas* and *William Rider* of *Bednal Green* in *Middleſex* Eſquire.

Gleve.

Sable, three *Creſcents* Argent by the name of *Gleve*.

Perpoint.

Gules, three *Creſcents* Argent by the name of *Perpoint*.

Fleming.

Gules, the *Creſcents* Ermine by the name of *Fleming*.

Monnings.

Gules, three *Creſcents* Or, by the name of *Monnings*.

21. Pearl, a *Feſs* between three *Creſcents* Diamond born by the Right Honourable *Edward Henry Lee* Earl of *Litchfield*, Viſcount, *Quarenton*, and Baron *Spilſbury*.

Earl of *Litchfield.*

22. Diamond, a *Feſs* Ermine between three *Creſcents Topaz*, born by the Right Honourable

Coventry.

Honourable *George Coventry* Baron of *Alesborough* in *Worcestershire*, &c.

And by the Honourable *Henry Coventry* Esquire, Son to the Right Honourable *Thomas* Lord *Coventry* Lord Keeper of the great *Seal* of *England*.

Weld. 23. Azure, a *Fess Nebule* between three *Crescents* Ermine born by *Hum, Weld* of *Lulworth Castle* in *Dorsetshire* Esquire Governour of His Majesties Isle and Castle of *Portland*, and *Sandes Foot*.

24. Gules, a *Star* issuing from between the Horns of a *Crescent* Argent.

Other Examples of Crescents.

OR on a *Chief Indented* Sable, three *Crescents* Argent, by the name of

Harvey. *Harvey*.

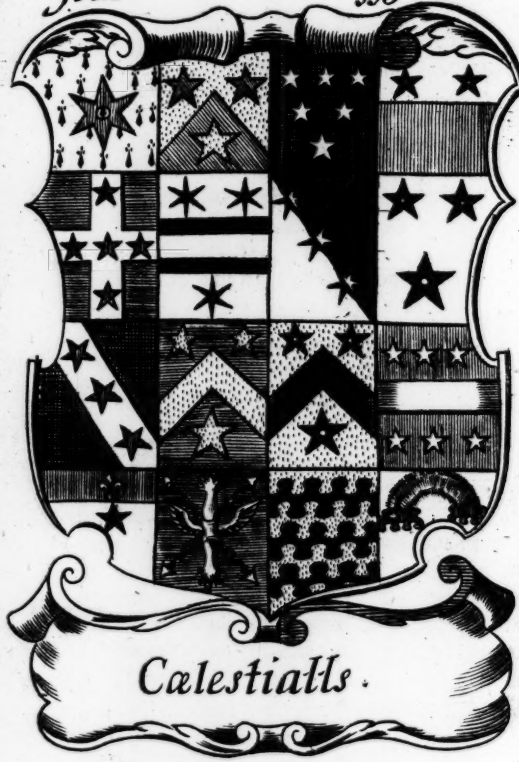
Sable, a *Cross engrailed* between four *Crescents* Argent by the name of *Barnham*.

Barnham. *Per Pale* Sable and Argent, three *Crescents* counter-changed by the name of

Topcliff. *Topcliff*.

Barry





Cælestialls.

Barry of six Ermine and Gules, three *Crescents* Sable, by the Name of *Watterton.* Watterton.

Or, five *Crescents*, one, three, one, by the Name of *Hamond* of *Hampshire.* Hamond.

Argent six *Crescents*, three, two, one Sable, by the Name of *Blare.* Blare.

Per *Pale* Argent and Sable, six *Crescents* Counterchanged by the Name of *Wickhalse* of *Devonshire.* Wickhalse.

Other Examples of

CELESTIALS.

1. ERmine, a *Mullet* of six *Points* pierced Gules, by the Name of *Hussenhul.* Hussenhul

Meteors are an imperfect kind of mixture engendered in the Airy Region of a certain attracted fume drawn up by the operation of the Sun and Stars, and is of a hot quality, which at length breaks

into *Fire*, and ſo looſeth or waſteth it ſelf, and ſuch are *Mullets* or *Flaming Stars*.

Antiently *Mullets* were born of ſix Points, as in this Example, but now uſually of five.

2. Per *Cheveron* Or and Vert, three *Mullets* Counterchanged by the Name of *Hothe*.

Hothe.

3. Sable ſix Mullets, three, two, one Argent, by the Name of *Bonvile*.

Bonvile.

Azure, ſix *Mullets*, three, two, one Or, by the Name of *Welſh*.

Welſh.

4. Gules, on a *Chiefe* Argent, two Mullets Sable, born by Sir *Edmond Bacon* of *Redgrave Hall* in *Suffolk* Baronet.

Bacon.

By Sir *Henry Bacon* of *Lounde* in *Lovingland* in *Suffolk* Baronet.

By Sir *Nicolas Bacon* of *Shrubland Hall* in *Codenham* in the ſaid County, Knight of the *Bath*.

Pearl on a *Chiefe* Ruby, 2 *Mullets* pierced Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *Oliver Saint John* Earl of *Bullingbrook*, &c.

Earl of Bullingbrook.

And by Sir *Walter Saint John* of *Lydiard Tregos* in *Wiltſhire*, and of *Batterſey* in *Surrey* Baronet.

St. John.

5. Azure

5. Azure on a *Croſs* Argent, five *Mullets* Gules born by Sir *Ralph Verney* of *Middle-Claydon* in *Buckingham-ſhire*, Knight and Baronet. Verney.

6. Argent two *Barrs* between three *Mullets* of ſix points pierced Sable, born by *Phillip Dougty* of *York Buildings* in the Pariſh of St. *Martins* in the Fields in *Middleſex* Eſquire. Doughty.

7. Per *Bend* Argent and Sable, three *Mullets* of ſix points in *Bend* Counterchanged.

8. Argent, three *Mullets* pierced Sable, by the Name of *Wollaſton*. Wollaſton

Azure, three *Mullets* pierced Or, by the Name of *Whittington* of *Lincolnſhire*. Whittington.

Azure, three *Mullets* Or, by the Name of *Grundin*. Grundin.

Or, three *Mullets* Sable, by the Name of *Pelton*. Pelton.

Sable, three *Mullets* Argent, by the Name of *Puliſton*. Puliſton.

Gules, three *Mullets* Argent, by the Name of *Hanſard* of *Lincolnſhire*. Hanſard.

9. Sable, on a *Bend* Argent, three *Mullets* Gules, born by *Francis Gliſſon*, Doctor in *Phyſick*. Gliſſon.

10. Azure, a *Cheveron* between three *Mullets* Or, born by *Walter Chetwynd* of *Ingeſtre* in *Staffordſhire* Eſquire.

Chetwynd

11. Or, a *Cheveron* between three *Mullets* pierced Sable, born by *Thomas Davies* of *Criſſing-Temple* in *Eſſex* Eſq. Son and Heir of Sir *Thomas Davies* of *London*, Knight and Alderman deceaſed.

Davies.

12. Gules, a *Feſs* between ſix *Mullets* Argent, born by Sir *Denny Aſhburnham* of *Broomhal* in *Suſſex* Baronet, and by *Aſhburnham* of *Aſhburnham* in the ſaid County Eſquire.

Aſhburnham.

13. Argent, a *Mullet* Sable, on a *Chief* Gules, a *Flower de lis* Or, born by *William Rogers* of *Caſtle-Hale* in the Pariſh of *Panſwick* in *Gloceſter-ſhire*.

Rogers.

Other

Other Examples of Mullets.

PEr *Fesse* Or and Azure, a *Mullet* of eight points Counterchanged by the Name of *Scotto*. Scotto.

Azure, three *Mullets* and a Chiefe indented Or, by the Name of *Bright*. Bright.

Azure, a *Crescent* between three *Mullets* Argent, by the Name of *Minshal*. Minshal.

Per *Pale* Argent and Gules, three *Mullets*, Counterchanged by the Name of *Langford*. Langford.

Per *Fesse Indented* Gules and Or, three *Mullets* Counterchanged by the Name of *Eglington*. Eglington

14. Azure, *Jupiters Thunderbolt* in *Pale* Or, inflamed on both ends proper, shafted *Salterwise*, and *Winged* Fesse ways Argent.

15. *Barre Nebule* Or and Sable, born
Blunt. by the Name of *Blunt*.

16. Argent, a *Rain-Bow* of divers colours proper.

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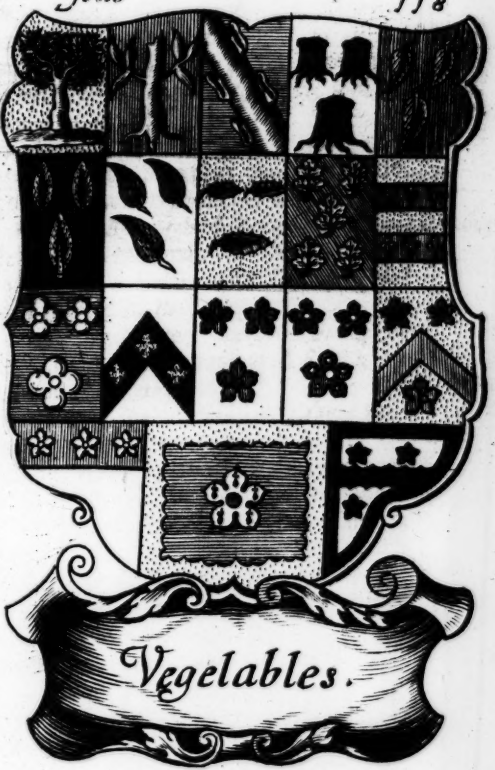
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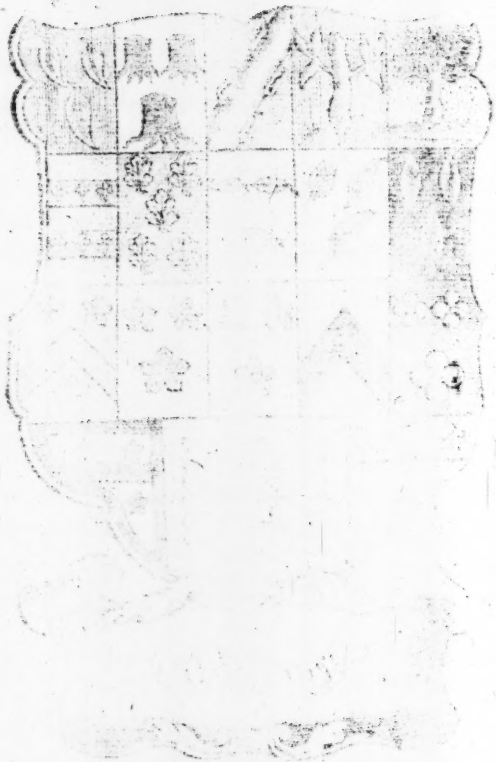
Under which Head *all* Trees, Flowers, Plants, Leaves *and* Fruits *are or may be comprized.*

1. OR on a *Mount* in *Base*, a Pear-Tree fruited Proper, by the
Pyrton. Name of *Pyrton*.

Argent, on a *Mount* in Base, a *Pine Apple Tree* fruited, by the Name of *Pine*.
Pine.

Vegetables have in them a living Power of *Growing*, *Budding*, *Leasing*, *Blosoming*


Vegelables.



ing and *Fructifying*, as *Trees*, *Plants*, *Herbs*, *Grass*, &c. and of these, some on *Trunks* or solid Bodies, and some upon Flexible *Stocks*; some again grow upon a single *Stem*, as commonly all *Trees* do, and some upon several Stems, as *Shrubs*, *Roses*, and the like.

2. Gules, the Stem or *Trunck* of a *Tree* Eradicated, as also couped in Pale, sprouting out two Branches Argent, born by *William Burrough* of *Burrough* in *Leicestershire*, Gentleman. Burrough

3. Azure a Limb of a Tree *Raguled* and Trunked in *Bend* Argent.

4. Argent, three *Stocks* or *Stumps* of Trees, couped and eradicated Sable, by the Name of *Retowre*. Retowre.

5. Gules, three *Woodbine Leaves Pendant* Or.

The *Woodbine* is a loving and amorous Plant, embracing all that groweth near it, but without hurting of that which it loveth, and is contrary to the Ivy (which is a Type of Lust rather then Love) for it injureth that which it most embraceth.

6. Sable, three *Laurel Leaves* slipped Or.

The *Laurel* was in Antient times thought to be a remedy against *Poyson*, *Lightning* and the like, and in *War* used as a Token of Peace and Quietness.

7. Argent, three *Wooabine Leaves Bend ways*, two and one proper, by the Name of *Theme*.

Theme.

8. Or, three *Holly Leaves Barrways*, two and one, their Stalks towards the Dexter part of the *Escocheon* proper, by the Name of *Arnest*.

Arnest.

9. Vert, five *Figg Leaves* in *Saltier*.

10. Topaz, two *Barrs* Ruby, each charged with three *Trefoyles slipped* of the first, born by the Right Honourable *Roger Palmer* Earl of *Castlemain*, and Baron of *Limberick* in *Ireland*.

Earl of Castlemain

11. Azure, three *Quaterfoyls* Argent born by Sir *Anthony Vincent* of *Stoke-Dabernon* in *Surrey*, Baronet.

Vincent.

As also by *Samuel Vincent* of *Buckingham* House in *Norfolk* Esquire.

12. Argent on a *Cheveron Sable*, three *Quaterfoiles* Or, born by *N. Eyre* of *Wilton* in *Wiltshire*, Gentleman.

Eyre.

13. Argent, three *Cinquefoils* Gules, born by Sir *Thomas Darcy* of St. *Clerrs Hall* in St. *Osyth* in *Essex*, Baronet.

Darcy.

14. Argent

14. Argent, three *Cinquefoyls* Gules, each charged with five *Annulets* Or, born by Sir *Robert Southwel* of *Kingsweſton* in *Gloceſterſhire* Knight. Southwel.

15. Or, a *Cheveron* between three *Cinquefoyls* Gules, born by the Right Honourable Sir *Thomas Chicheley* of *Wimpley* in *Cambridgſhire* Knight, Maſter of the *Ordinance*, and one of his Majeſties moſt Honourable Privy Councel, *Anno* 1681. Chicheley.

16. Argent on a *Chiefe* Gules, three *Cinquefoyls* of the Field, born by Sir *Thomas Bellot* of *Moreton* in *Cheſhire*, Baronet. Bellet.

17. Saphir, a *Cinquefoyl* Ermine within a *Bordure* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *Jacob* Lord *Aſtley*, Baron of *Reading*, &c. Lord *Aſtley*.

And is alſo the Coat of Sir *Jacob Aſtley* of *Melton-Conſtable* in *Norfolk*, Baronet.

18. Argent, a *Feſs Engrailed* between three *Cinquefoyls* within a *Border* Sable, born by *Tho. Foley* of *Kidderminſter* in *Worceſterſhire*, Eſquire. By *Paul Foley* of *Stoak Court* in *Herefordſhire* Eſquire; and by *Phillip Foley* of *Preſtwood* in *Staffordſhire* Eſquire, Sons of *Tho. Foley* of *Witley*, of *Court* in *Worceſterſhire*, Eſq. Foley.

Theſe

Theſe Charges, as alſo *Fruits*, *Flowers*, &c. are born on, or between, any of the *Ordinaries*.

Examples of

FRUITS and FLOWERS

1. ARgent, a *Pomegranate* in *Pale ſlipped* Prope.

This *Fruit* is eſteemed very good in *Phyſick*, whoſe juice is uſed for the allaying the heat of Burning or Feavoriſh *Agues*.

2. Azure, three *Pears* Or, by the Name of *Stukeley*.

Stukeley.

3. Gules, a *Cheveron* Ermine between three *Pine Apples* erected Or, by the Name of *Pine*.

Pine.

Under this head may be comprehended all other kind of *Fruit*.

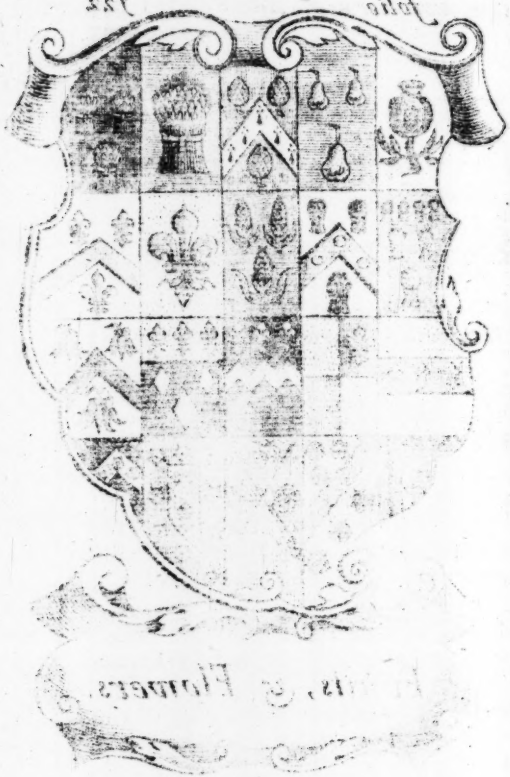
4. Azure, a *Garbe* or *Wheat-ſheafe* Or, born by Sir *Thomas Groſvenour* of *Eggin* in *Cheſhire*, Baronet.

Groſvenour

Azure



Fruits, & Flowers.



Azure, a *Garb* Argent, by the Name of *Holdeſheafe*. Holdeſheafe.

5. Sable, three *Garbs* Or, born by *William Stych* of *Newbury* in the Pariſh of *Barkin* in *Eſſex* Eſq. Stych.

Argent, three *Garbs* Sable, by the Name of *Wanting*. Wanting.

6. Azure, ſeven *Garbs* Sable, four, two and one Or, born by Sir *Thomas Doleman* of *Shaw* in *Bark-ſhire* Knight, one of the *Clerks* of his *Majeſties* moſt Honourable *Privy Councel*, Father of Sir *Humfrey Doleman*, Knight. Dolman.

7. Argent, on a *Cheveron* between three *Garbs* Gules, as many *Bezants*, born by *Tobias Eden* of the *Inner Temple*, *London*, Eſq. Eden.

Azure, a *Cheveron* between three *Garbs* Or, born by the Right Honourable *Chriſtopher* Lord *Hatton*, Governour of the Iſle of *Jarſey*. Lord *Hatton*.

And by Mr. *Roger Hatton* of *London*, Merchant.

8. Azure, three *Ears of Guiny Wheat couped* and *bladed* Or, by the Name of *Grandgorge*. Grandgorge.

9. Saphir, a *Flower de lis* Pearl, born by the Right Honourable *George* Earl of *Briſtol*, Baron *Digby* of *Sherbourn*, and by *Briſtol*.

Ld. *Digby*. by the Right Honourable *Simon* Lord *Digby*, Baron of *Geashill* in *Ireland*.

Or, a *Flower de lis* Azure, born by Sir

Portman. *William Portman* of *Orchard* in *Somersetshire*, Knight of the Bath, and Baronet.

Azure, a *Flower de lis* Or, by the Name

Stepkin. of *Stepkin*.

Argent, a *Flower de lis* Gules, born by

Morden. *John Morden* of *London* Merchant.

Gules, a *Flower de lis* Or, by the Name

Palford. of *Palford*.

Gules, a *Flower de lis* Argent, by the

Waldenfield. Name of *Waldenfield*.

Vert, a *Flower de lis* Argent, by the

Fowk. Name of *Fowk*.

10. Pearl, a *Cheveron* Ruby between three *Flower de lis* Saphir, born by the Right Honourable *Thomas* Lord Viscount *Faulconberg*, Baron of *Yarum*, Lord *Leiutenant* of the North Riding of *Yorkshire*, and one of the Lords of his Majesties most Honourable Privy Councel.

Lord Viscount *Faulconberg*.

And by the Right Honourable *John*

Ld. *Belasis* Lord *Belasis*, Baron of *Worlaby*, &c.

Or, a Cheveron between three *Flower de lis* Sable, born by the Right Honourable *Evelyn* Lord Viscount *Fanshaw*, his Majesties *Remembrancer* of his Court of *Exchequer*, &c.

Fanshaw.

By

By the Honourable *Henry Fanſhaw* of *Dengy-hall* in *Eſſex* Eſquire: And by the Honourable *Charles Fanſhaw* of *Dengy-hall* aforeſaid Eſquire, his Majeſties Envoy extraordinary in *Portugal*, Sons of the Right Honourable *Thomas* Lord Viſcount *Fanſhaw*, deceaſed.

11. Topaz on a *Feſs* Ruby, three *Flower de lis* of the Field, born by the Right Honourable *Thomas Leonard* Earl of *Suſſex*, and Lord *Dacres* of *Gilesland*, &c. Earl of *Suſſex*.

Argent, on a *Feſs* Gules three *Flower de lis* Or, born by *Gervaſe Diſny* of *Norton-Deſney* in *Lincolnſhire*, Eſquire. *Diſney*.

12. Quarterly Gules and Or, in the firſt quarter a *Flower de lis* Argent, born by *Elias Aſhmole* of the *Middle Temple*, *London* Eſquire. *Aſhmole*.

13. Sable a *Feſs Dauncette* Or, in cheif three *Flower de lis* Argent, born by *William Feak* of *Stafford* in *Staffordſhire*, Gentleman. *Feak*.

14. Sable, three *Lozenges* Argent, on a chief Or, as many *Flower de lis* Gules, born by Sir *Nicholas Pedley* of *Abbotſley*, and *Tetſworth* in *Huntingtonſhire*, Knight. *Pedley*.

15. Argent, a *Cheveron* Sable, between three

three *Columbines* slipped proper by the name of *Hall*.

Hall.

16. Sable on a *Cross* between four *Flower de lis* Argent, five *Pheons* Azure born by *Caleb Banks* of the *Friers* in *Aylesford* in *Kent* Esquire, Son and Heir of Sir *John Banks* of the said place Barronet.

Banks.

17. Or on a *Bend Engrailed* between six Roses Gules, born by *Edmond Warner* of *Warner-Hall* in *Essex* Esquire: And by *John Warner* of *Brokenthwait* in the Parish of *Kirby-overbow* in *Yorkshire* Esquire, descended from the *Warners* of *Warners-Hall* aforesaid.

Warner.

18. Gules, two *Swords* with their points erected in Saltier proper, *Hilts* and *Pomels* Or, between three *Roses* Argent, *viz.* one in *Cheif*, and two in *Fess*, born by *Patrick Trant* of Saint *Giles* in the *Fields* in *Middlesex* Esquire.

Trant.

19. Or, three *Flower de lis* Azure, a *Bordure* Gules charged with eight *Roses* Argent, born by Sir *Walter Clarges* of Saint *Martins* in the *Field* Baronet.

Clarges.

20. Sable, on a *Cheveron* Argent, three Roses Gules, seeded and Barbed proper, in the dexter cheif a *Helmet* close Bevered of the Second, born by *Robert Rose* of *Hasland* in *Derbyshire*, Gentleman.

Rose.

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Under this head all other *Flowers* may be comprized; some few more examples I have here set down.

Argent, three Roſes Gules, by the name of *Young*. *Young.*

Gules, three *Flower de lis Argent*, by the name of *Wiſemale*. *Wiſemale.*

Azure, a *Vine* with *Fruit* and *Leaves* all Or.

Per Pale, Ermine and Gules, a Roſe Counter-changed, by the name of *Nightingale*. *Nightingale.*

Sable, three *Roſes Argent*, ſeeded Or, by the name of *Powel*. *Powel.*

Argent, ſix *Roſes* 3, 2, and 1, Gules, by the name of *Palton*. *Palton.*

Argent, ten *Roſes* 4, 3, 2, 1, Gules by the name of *Payens*. *Payens.*

Gules, three *Flower de lis* Argent, by the name of *Mondeford*. *Mondeford*

Or, five *Flower de lis* 2, 1, 2, Sable by the name of *Spindelow*. *Spindelow.*

Gules, ſix *Flower de lis* 3, 2, 1, Argent born by Sir *Gilbert Ireland* of *Hut*, and *Beauſie* in *Lancaſhire*, Knight. *Ireland.*

Argent, three *Gilly Flowers* proper, by the name of *Forney*. *Forney.*

From *Vegetables* as *Leaves*, *Trees*, *Plants*, *Fruits* and *Flowers*, I ſhall next treat of the parts of Mans Body. *Ex-*

Examples of the

PARTS of MANS BODY.

1. *Jupiter*, our *blessed Lady* with her Son in her right hand, and a *Scepter* in her left all *Topaz*, this Coat belongs to the *Bishoprick* of *Salisbury*.

Bishoprick of Salisbury.

2. Gules, a *Saracens Head erazed* at the neck Argent, *environed* about the *Temples* with a wreath of the Second and Sable, by the name of *Mergith* of *Wales*.

Mergith.

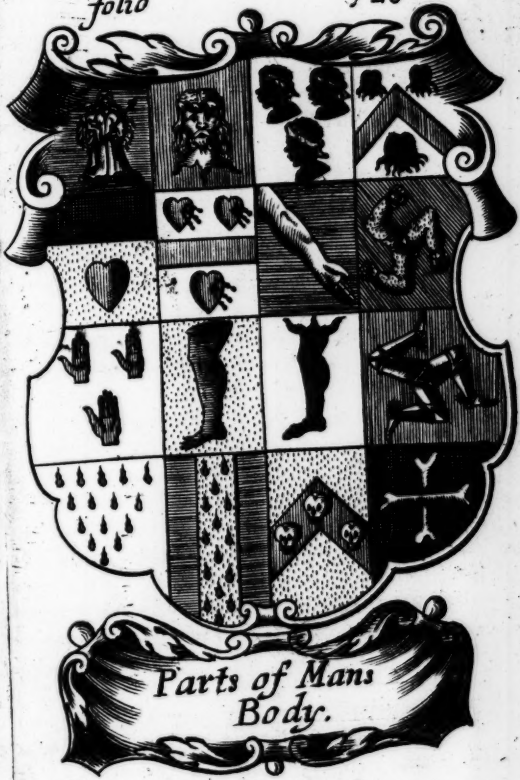
3. Argent, three Blackamores Heads couped proper, banded about Gules; born by *John Tanner* of *Court* in *Cornwal* Esquire.

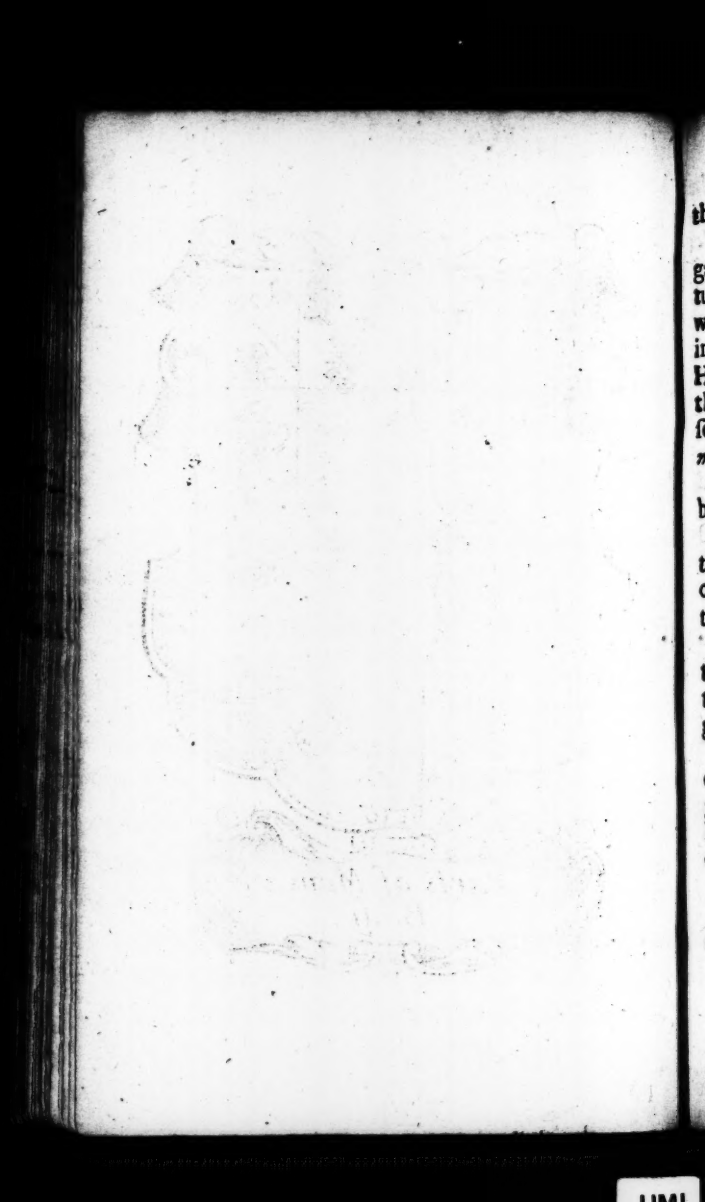
Tanner.

Or, three *Blackamores Heads* couped proper, banded about Argent, born by *Samuel Mico* of *London* Esquire, and by *Edward* and *Aaron Mico* of *London* Merchants.

Mico.

4. Argent,


Parts of Mans
Body.



4. Argent, a *Cheveron* Gules between three *Peruques* Sable.

Claudius ſurnamed *Comatus* when he gained the Government of *France* inſtituted a *Law* that the *French* men ſhould wear their Hair long (as his Arm was) in token of Liberty, for ſhaving off the Hair was then a token of Bondage, and this was obſerved by the *Romans* who uſed to ſhave the Hair of their *Bondmen.*

5. Or a *Heart* proper, a cheif Sable, by the name of *Scambler.* *Scambler.*

6. Argent, a *Feſs* Gules, between three *Hearts* vulned and diſtilling drops of blood on the ſiniſter ſide proper, by the name of *Tote.* *Tote.*

7. Azure an *Arm ſiniſter* iſſuing out of the *Dexter point* and extended towards the *ſiniſter baſe* in form of a *Bend* Argent,

8. Vert, three *Dexter Arms* conjoined at the Shoulders and flexed in Triangle Or, with Fiſts clenched Argent born by *Arthur Tremaine* of *Cullocombe* in *Devonſhire* Eſquire. *Tremain.*

9. Argent, three *ſiniſter hands couped* at the *Wriſts* and erected Gules, born by

Maynard. Sir *John Maynard* of *Gunnersbury* in the Pariſh of *Ely* in *Middleſex*, Knight, Serjeant at Law to His Majeſty King *Charles* the Second.

10. Or, a *Mans* Leg couped at the midſt of the thigh Azure, by the name of *Haddon.*

Haddon.

11. Argent, a *Mans Leg* erazed at the *Thigh* Sable, by the name of *Prime.*

Prime.

12. Ruby, three *Legs* Armed proper, conjoined in *Feſs* at the upper part of the *Thigh flexed* in *Triangle*, garniſhed and ſpurred *Topaz*, this *Coat* is the Arms of the Iſle of *Man*, and is quartered by the Earl of *Derby* as Lord of the ſaid *Iſle.*

Arms of the Iſle of Man.

13. Argent, *Gutte de Sang*, by the name of *Lemming.*

Theſe *Drops* are ſeldom born by themſelves alone, but upon or with ſome of the *Ordinaries.*

Gutte de Sang without naming the Colour ſignifies drops of Blood, and is always Gules. *Gutte de Harmes* drops of Tears which is Azure. *Gutte de Han* drops of Water which is Argent. *Gutte de Poix*, or *Gutte de Sable*; that is drops of Pitch, and is Sable. *Gutte de* Or, drops of *Gold*, and is, Or

The form or ſhape of theſe drops are all

all as one, only the names change the *Colours*.

14. Azure, a *Pale*, or, *Gutté de Sang*, born by Sir *Thomas Player* of *London*, Knight, late *Chamberlain* of the said City of *London*. *Player.*

15. Or, on a *Cheveron* Gules, three *dead mens Skulls*, of the field by the name of *Bolter*. *Bolter.*

16. Sable, a *Shin-bone* in *Pale* surmounted of another in Cross Argent by the name of *Bayns*.

Of ANIMALS.

FROM the parts of *Mans Body* I shall proceed to *Animals* born in *Coat Armour* both whole and in parts, which the following Examples will demonstrate.

And of *Animals* those of prey are of most Esteem, as the *Lyon*, *Tiger*, *Bear*, *Wolf*, &c. And in Coat Armour the bearing of whole Animals being more

worthy then the ſeveral parts, I ſhall firſt begin with them.

Of all *Creatures* apt to generation and corruption *Animals* are moſt worthy.

All *Savage Beaſts* are naturally armed with ſomething wherewith they may hurt their *Enemies* as the *Boar* hath *Tuſks*; the *Lion Tallons*, the *Stag Horns*, the *Serpent Poyſon*, and the like.

All four Footed Beaſts are eſteemed more worthy of bearing then *Fiſhes*, or *Fowls* in regard they contain in them more worthy and commendable ſignifications of *Nobility*: and the *Males* are eſteemed more worthy then the *Females*.

Examples of

BEARINGS of LIONS.

Stapleton. 1. ARgent, a *Lion Rampant* Sable, by name of *Stapleton.*

Verdon. Argent, a *Lion Rampant* Gules by the name of *Verdon.* Argent,



Lions.



Argent, a *Lion Rampant* vert by the name of *Springs*. *Springs.*

Or a *Lion Rampant* Sable by the name of *Poley*. *Poley.*

Azure, a *Lion Rampant* Or, by the name of *Beckingham*. *Beckingham*

Ermine, a *Lion Rampant*. Azure, by the name of *Hardneſs* of *Kent*.

Argent, a *Lion Rampant* Sable Crowned Or, born by *Charles Morley* of *Drox-ford* in *Hantſhire* Eſquire, one of the *Maſters* of *Requeſts* to his Majeſty King *Charles* the Second. *Morley.*

Azure, a *Lion Rampant* Crowned Or, born by Sir *Francis Dayrel* of *Caſtle Camps* in *Cambridgeſhire* Knight. *Dayrel.*

Vert, a *Lion Rampant* Or, by the name of *Morgan*. *Morgan.*

Ermine, a *Lion Rampant* Azure, crowned Or, born by Sir *Henry Pickering* of *Whaddon* in *Cambridgeſhire* Knight, and Barronet. *Pickering.*

2. Azure a *Lion Rampant Gardant* Or, born by *Fitz Hammond*. *Fizt Hammond.*

Or, a *Lion Rampant Gardant* Gules, by the name of *Horon*. *Horon.*

Gules, a *Lion Rampant Gardant* Or, born by *George Maſters* of *Lincolns Inn* in *Middleſex* Eſquire. *Maſters.*

Gules, a *Lion Rampant Gardant* Argent,
St. Marney, by the Name of St. *Marney.*

3. Gules, a *Lion Rampant Regardant*
Morice, Or, born by *John Morice* of *London* Eſq.

Or, a *Lion Rampant Regardant* Vert, by
Hume. the Name of *Hume.*

Or, a *Lion Rampant Regardant* Gules,
Roberts. by the Name of *Roberts.*

This Action of the *Lion,* manifeſts an inward and degenerate Perturbation of the Mind, which is Repugnant to the generous Nature of the *Lion,* this denoting a timerous Mind, yet it betokens a diligent Circumſpection, and Conſideration of things to come.

4. Argent, a *Lion Rampant Coward*
Rowch. Purpure, by the Name of *Rowch.*

This Cowardly Action of claping his Tayl betwixt his Leggs (as all Beaſts do that are affrighted) is contrary to the Noble Spirit of the *Lion.*

5. Or, a *Lion Rampant Double Quene*
Wansford. Azure, born by Sir *Chriſtopher Wansford* of *Kirklington* in *York-ſhire* Baronet.

Or, a *Lion Rampant Double Quene* Sa-
Wells. ble, by the Name of *Wells.*

Sable, a *Lion Rampant Double Quene*
Kingſton. Or, by the Name of *Kingſton.*

Azure, a *Lion Rampant Double Quene*
Or,

Or, by the Name of *Bromhall.* *Bromhall.*

The *Forked Tayl* is an Emblem of Magnanimity, and Strennuousneſs.

6. Argent, a *Lion Saliant* Gules, by the Name of *Felbridg.* *Felbridge.*

Sable, a *Lion Saliant* Argent, by the Name of *Sturmy.* *Sturmy.*

Gules, a *Lion Saliant* Argent, by the Name of *Salisbury.* *Salisbury.*

When the *Lion* proſecutes his Prey, he purſueth the ſame Leaping, or Saliant, which action he never uſeth when he is Chaſed in Fight, but is always Paſſant.

7. Or, a *Lion Rampant Double Leſte* Azure, born by *Simon Maſon* of *Great Granſden* in *Huntington-ſhire* Gent. *Maſon.*

8. Sable, two *Lion Cells Rampant Combatant* Or, born by *Nicholas Carter* of *Willesborrow* in *Kent*, and of *London* Dr. in Phyſick. *Carter.*

Leigh ſaith, That theſe two *Lions* were of ſundry Regions which ſtrove for Government, for the *Lion* is as deſirous of Maſtery, as a Courageous Prince is ambitious of Honour.

Azure, two *Lions Rampant Gardant Combatant* Argent, born by Sir *Jacob Garrard* of *Langford* in *Norfolk* Baronet. *Garrard.*

9. Azure, two *Lioncells Rampant Endorsed* Or.

This Coat is said to be born by *Achilles* at the Siege of *Troy*; and *Leigh* supposeth it to be a Combat intended between two Valiant Men who both met in the Field, but the Prince favouring them taketh the Matter into his hands, and then they turn back to back, and so leave the Field.

10. Or, a *Lion Passant* Gules, by the Name of *Games*.

Games.

Or, a *Lion Passant* Sable, by the Name of *Pynoke*.

Pynoke.

Sable, a *Lion Passant* Or, by the Name of *Taylor*.

Taylor.

Sable, a *Lion Passant* Or, by the Name of *Field*.

Field.

Ermine, a *Lion Passant* Gules, by the Name of *Drew*.

Drew.

Ermine, a *Lion Passant* Sable, by the Name of *Wither*.

Wither.

11. Azure, a *Lion Passant Gardant* Or, born by Sir *John Bromfield* of *Suffolk* place in *Southwark* Knight.

Bromfield.

Azure, a *Lion Passant Gardant* Or, born by *William Thompson* of the middle Temple *London* Esquire.

Thompson.

Argent, a *Lion Passant Gardant* Sable by the Name of *Stone*.

Stone.

Argent,

Argent, a *Lion Paſſant Gardant* Gules, by the Name of *Querleton.* *Querleton.*

Gules, a *Lion Paſſant Gardant* Or, by the Name of *Brett.* *Brett.*

Gules, a *Lion Paſſant Gardant* Argent, by the Name of *Redeſhall.* *Redeſhall.*

The *Lion Paſſant* ſeemeth to go with more Confidence and Reſolution, but the *Gardant* with more Vigilancy and Circumſpection.

12. Argent, two *Lioncells Counter Paſſant* Gules, the upermoſt towards the Siniſter ſide of the *Eſcocheon*, both *Coloured* Or.

13. Gules, a *Lion Sejant* Argent.

Although this Geſture hath affinity with the *Lion Conchant*, yet the difference is eaſily to be obſerved.

14. Gules, a *Lion* between ſix *Croſs Croſslets* Argent, born by Sir *Halſwell Tynte*, of *Halſwell* in the Pariſh of *Goathurſt* in *Somerſet-ſhire* Baronet. *Tynte.*

The *Lion* muſt not be thought to be compelled to *Couch*, but that he hath ſo ſettled himſelf of his own accord; for it is contrary to his Nature, to be compelled to any thing by Chaſtiſement, and a generous mind is eaſier to be led then drove.

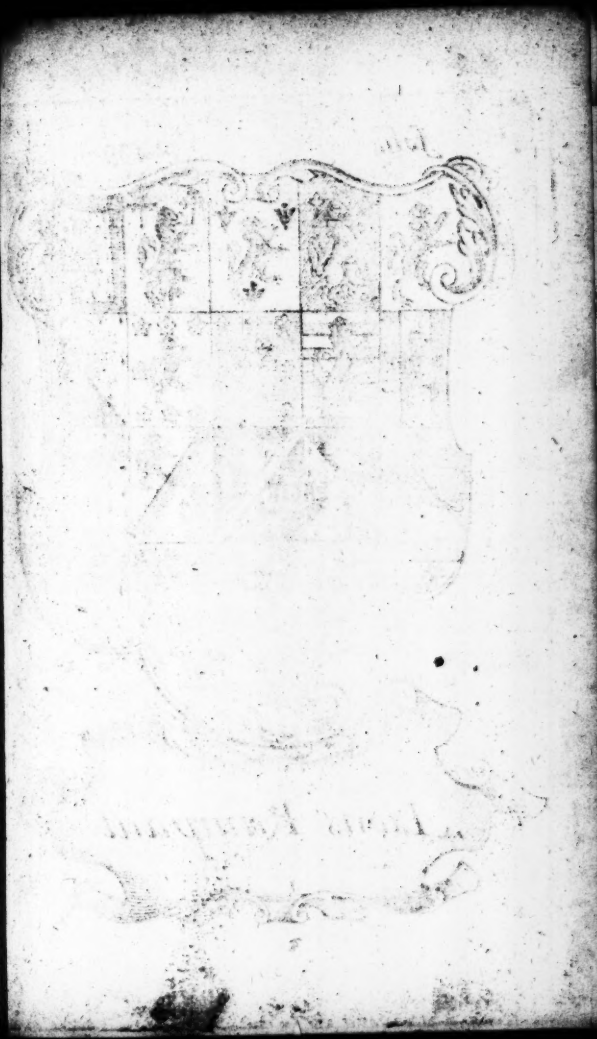
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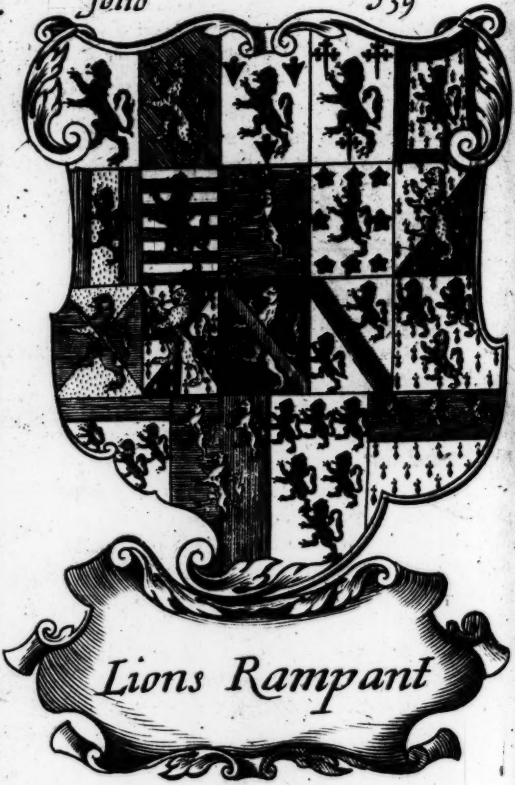
15. Azure, a *Lion Dormant* Or.

'Tis said, That the *Lion* sleepeth with his Eyes open, being an Emblem to *Governours*, whose Vigilancy should shew it self, when others are most at rest and secure.

Some are of Opinion, That the *Lion* should not be made *Gardant*, affirming that to be the property of the *Leopard*. The generous Nature of the *Lion*, is discerned by his plentiful Shaggy Locks which cover his neck and shoulders, and doth shew his Noble Courage, especially if curled and short; also the thickness of the *Lions Mane*, is a Testimony of his generous Birth, and by the same he is distinguished from the Bastard Race of *Leopards*, begotten by the Adulterous *Lioness* and the *Parde*, which are Naturally deprived of this Noble Mark, nor have they the Courage.

To *Lions*, *Bears*, *Wolves*, and other Beasts of Prey, Nature hath given sharp *Teeth* and *Tallons*, for the seizing and keeping their Prey, and therefore in the *Blazoning* of *Beasts*, their *Teeth* and *Tallons* must not be omitted, and for expressing them, say Armed of such and such a Colour, which is always Gules or Azure, and




Lions Rampant

and contrary to the Colour of them.

All *Beasts* of *Prey* in their going do contract their *Talons* within their Flesh, to keep them sharp for the tearing their Prey, which otherwise would be blunt, and so become useless to them.

Other Examples of

LIONS RAMPANT.

1. SAphir, a *Lion Rampant* Pearl, born by the Right Honourable *John Lord Crew*, Baron of *Stean* in *Northampton shire*, &c. *Ld. Crew.*

Argent, a *Lion Rampant* Sable, charged on the Shoulder with a *Mullet* Or, born by Sir *Thomas Mompesson* of *Bathampton* in *Wilt-shire*, Knight. *Mompesson*

Vert, a *Lion Rampant* Or, born by *Arthur Shaen* of *Great Kewe* in *Surrey*, Esq; Son and Heir of Sir *James Shaen* of the said place, Knight and Baronet. *Shaen.*

2. Vert, a *Lion Rampant* between three *Trefoyles Slipped* Or, born by *Thomas Sheridan* *Sheridan.*

ridan of *Cavan* in the Province of *Ulster* in *Ireland*, Esquire.

3. Pearl, a *Lion Rampant* Ruby, between three *Pheons* Diamond, born by the Right Honourable *John Egerton*, Earl *Bridgwater*, Viscount *Barkley*, and Baron of *Elesmer*, Lord Lieutenant of *Buckingham-shire*, and one of the Lords of His Majesties most Honourable Privy Council, *&c.*

Earl of Bridgwater

This Coat is also born by *John Egerton* of *Broxton* in *Cheshire*, Esquire, Eldest Son of Sir *Phillip Egerton* of *Egerton* and *Outon*, in the said County Knight.

Egerton.

4. Argent, a *Lion Rampant* between three *Cross Croslets Fitche* Gules, born by Sir *John Bowyer* of *Kingsperfley* in *Staffordshire*, Knight and Baronet.

Bowyer.

5. Ermine, a *Lion Rampant* Gules, within a *Border* Sable, born by Sir *William Pritchard* of the City of *London* Knight, *Lord-Mayor* thereof *Anno.* 1684.

Pritchard.

6. Gules on a *Pale* Or, a *Lion Rampant* Sable, born by *John Darnall* of the *Middle Temple London*, Esquire.

Darnall.

7. *Barry* of 10 Argent and Azure, over all a *Lion Rampant* Gules, born by *Richard Stratford* of *Hayling* and *Neither-Getting* in *Gloceſter-shire* Gent. descended from

Stratford.

from the *Stratfords* of *Farmcot* in the said County.

8. Azure, *Flory* a *Lion Rampant* Argent, born by Sir *John Holland* of *Quidenham* in *Norfolk*, Baronet. *Holland.*

9. Pearl, *Semy de Cinquefoyls* Ruby, a *Lion Rampant* Diamond, born by the Right Honourable *William Pierrepont*, Earl of *Kingston* upon *Hull*, Viscount *Newark* upon *Trent*, Baron of *Holme Pierrepont*, *Manvers*, and *Herris*. Earl of *Kingston.*

And by *Gervas Pierrpmont* of *Tonge Castle* in *Shropshire*, Esquire. *Pierrepont.*

Sable, *Semy de Cinquefoils* a *Lion Rampant* Argent, born by Sir *Thomas Clifton* of *Clifton* in *Lancashire*, Baronet. *Cliffton.*

10. *Per Bend Sinister* Ermine, and Ermines, over all a *Lion Rampant* Or, born by Sir *Roger Mostin* in *Flint-shire*, Baronet. *Mostin.*

This Coat is also born by Sir *John Trevor* of *Brynkynalt* in *Denby-shire*, Knight: *Trevor.*

11. *Girony* of 4 or and Azure, a *Lion Rampant* Counterchanged, born by *John Gould* of *Broadnemett* in *Devonshire*, Gentleman. *Gould.*

12. *Girony* of 8 Piéces Ermine, and Ermines a *Lion Rampant* Or, born by Sir *Trevor Williams* of *Langibby* Castle in *Monmouthshire* Baronet. *Williams.*

13. Sable

13. Sable a *Lion Rampant* Argent *depressed* with a *Bendlet* Gules, born by Sir *John Churchill* of *Churchill* in *Somersetshire*, Knight.

Churchill.

14. Argent, a *Bend* between two *Lions Rampant* Sable, born by Sir *John Osborn* of *Chicksands* in *Bedfordshire*, Baronet.

Osborn.

15. Ermine three *Lions Rampant* Gules, by the name of *Chudley* in *Devonshire*.

Chudley.

16. Argent, three *Lions* Rampant, and a *cheif* Azure, born by *Samuel Grant* of *Crundal* in *Hantshire*, and of the *Inner Temple* London, Esquire.

Grant.

17. Per *Pale* Saphir and Ruby, three *Lions* Rampant Pearl, born by the Right Honourable the Earl of *Pembrook* and *Montgomery*, Baron *Herbert* of *Shurland*, *Cardiff*, *Ross* of *Kendale*, *Parr*, *Marmion*, and Sir *Quintin*, Lord of the Lordships of *Usk*, *Carleon*, *Newport* and *Treleg*.

Earl of Pembrook.

By the Right Honourable *William Herbert* Earl and Baron of *Powis*, &c.

Earl of Powis.

By the Right Honourable *Edward* Lord *Herbert* Baron of *Cherbury*, and *Castle-Island* in *Ireland*.

Ld Herbert.

By the Honourable *Arthur Herbert*, Esquire, Admiral and Commander in Cheif

Herbert.

Cheif of His Majesties Fleet in the *Mediterranean Seas* Anno 1683, and one of the Right Honourable the *Commissioners* of the *Admiralty*.

By Sir *Thomas Herbert* of *Trinbern* in *Monmouth shire*, Baronet. *Herbert.*

By Sir *Matthew Herbert* of *Bromfield* in *Shropshire*.

This Coat is also born by Sir *William Jones* of *Slowey* in *Sommersetshire*, Knight:

By *Edward Proger* Esquire, one of the Grooms of His *Majesties Bedchamber*.

18. Pearl, six *Lyons Rampant* Diamond, born by the Right Honourable *Thomas Savage*, Earl *Rivers*, Viscount *Otchester* and *Rock Savage*, Lord *Darcy*, and Baron of *Chich*, &c. *Earl Rivers*

19. Ermine, on a *Cheif* Azure, three *Lions Rampant* Or, born by Sir *Anthony Ancher* of *Bishopsbourn* in *Kent*, Knight and Baronet. *Ancher.*

Other

Other Examples of

LIONS PASSANT.

1. Diamond, a *Lion Passant Gardant* Topaz, between three *Helmets* Pearl, born by the Right Honourable *James* Earl of *Northampton*, Baron *Compton* of *Compton*, Lord Leiutenant of *Warwickshire*, *Constable* of the *Tower* of *London*, and one of the Lords of His *Majesties* most Honourable *Privy Councel*, &c.

Earl of *Northampton.*

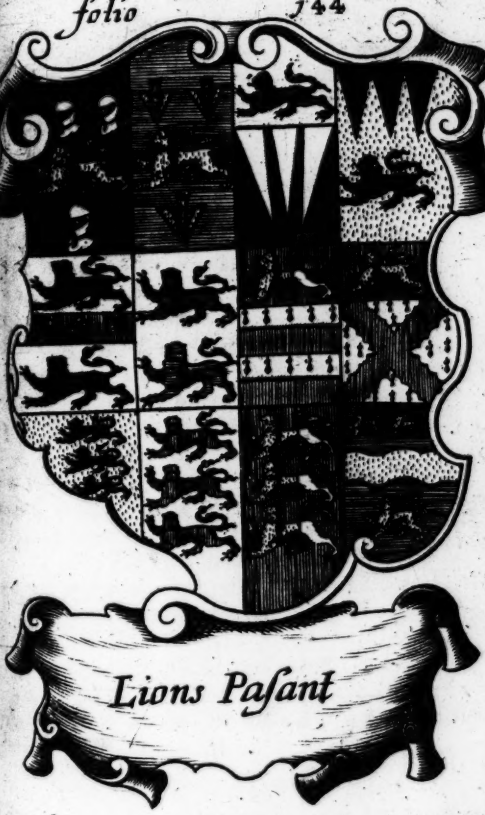
2. Azure, a *Lion Passant* between three *Pheons* heads Or, born by Sir *Thomas Wolstonholom* of *Minsingden* in the Parish of *Edmonton* in *Middlesex* Baronet.

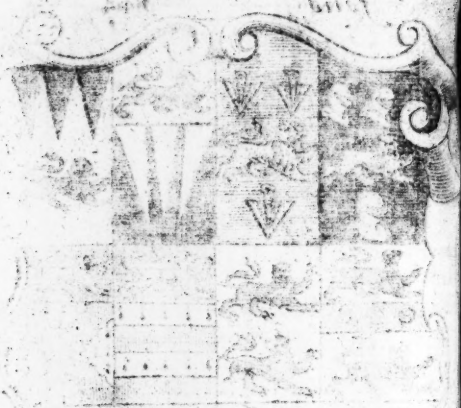
Wolstonholom.

Three Sable, three *Piles* Argent on a *Cheif* of the second a *Lion Passant* Gules, born by Sir *Andrew Hacket* of *Moxhull* in *Warwickshire* Knight.

Hacket.

4. Or a *Lion Passant* Sable, in Cheif, three *Piles* of the second, born by Captain


Lions Pasant



tain *John* Logan of *Ibury* in *Oxfordſhire*, Eſquire. *Logan.*

5. Argent, on a *Feſs* Gules between two Lions *Paſſant Gardent* Sable, a *Flower de lis* Or, between two *Creſcents* Argent, born by the Honourable Sir *Henry Goodrick* of *Ribſton Park* in *Yorkſhire*, Knight and Baronet His *Majeſty*'s *Envoy Extraordinary* to the King of *Spain* Anno $168\frac{2}{3}$. *Goodrick.*

6. Argent, two *Lions Paſſant Gardant* Azure, born by Sir *Thomas Hanmer* of *Hanmer* in *Flitſhire* Baronet, and of Sir *John Hanmer* of the *Middle Temple*, London, Knight. *Hanmer.*

Or, two *Lions paſſant Gardant* Sable, born by Sir *James Ruſhurſt* of *Milaſt Green* in *Eſſex*, Barronet. *Ruſhurſt.*

Gules, two *Lions Paſſant Gardant* Argent, born by Sir *Nicholas* L'*eſtrange* of *Hulſton* in *Norfolk* Baronet, and by *Roger* L'*eſtrange* of Saint *Giles* in the *Fields* in *Middleſex*, Eſquire. *L'eſtrange.*

7. Gules, two *Bars* Ermine in Cheif a *Lion Paſſant* parted Per Pale Or, and Argent, by the name of *Hill* of *Norfolk*. *Hill.*

8. *Ermine*, a *Saltier* and *Cheif*, Gules, on the laſt a *Lion Paſſant Gardant* Or, born by *Evers Armine* of *Oſgodby* in *Lancaſhire*, *Armine.*

ſhire, and of *Ketton* in *Rutlandſhire*, Eſq;

9. Or, three *Lions Paſſant* Sable born by Sir *Thomas Carew* of *Hackcomb* in *Devonſhire* Barronet. *Carew.*

Sable, three *Lions Paſſant* Argent, born by *Thomas Engliſh* of *Buckland* in *Maidſtion* in *Kent*, Eſquire. *Engliſh.*

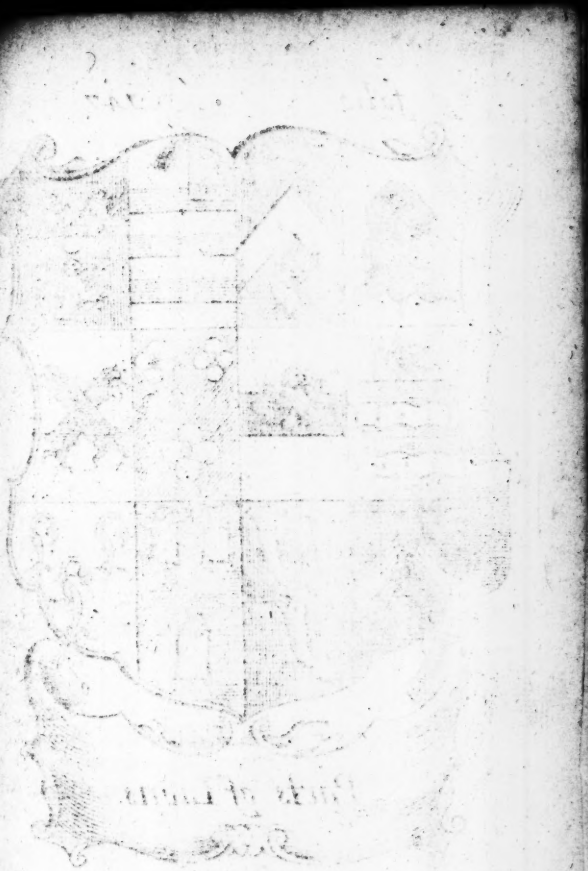
10. Argent, three *Lions Paſſant Gardant* Gules, born by *Thomas Brograve* of *Hamels* in *Hertfordſhire*, Barronet. *Brograve.*

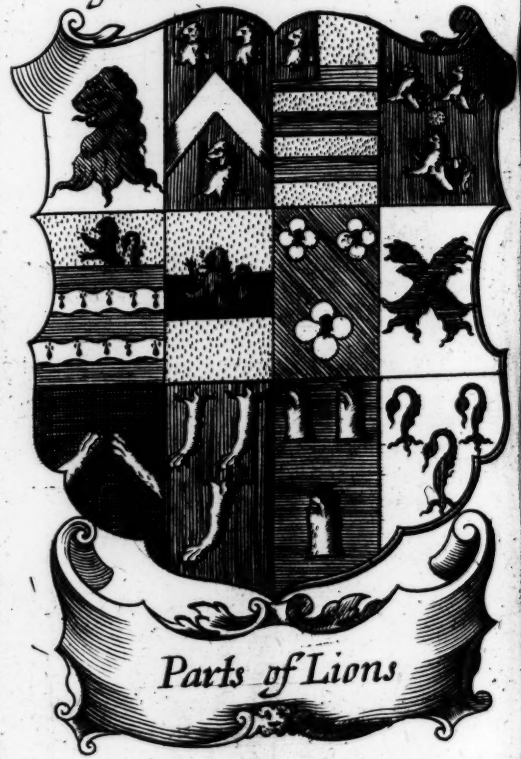
11. Ruby, three *Lions Paſſant Gardant* Per Pale Or and Argent, born by the Right Honourable *William O' Brion*, Earl and Baron *Inſiquin*, and Baron of *Burren* in *Ireland*, and one of the Lords of His Majeſties moſt Honourable Privy Councel for that Kingdom.

12. Azure a *Feſs Wavey*, between three *Lions Paſſant* Or, by the name of *Hawes*. *Hawes.*

From whole Lions *I ſhall proceed to the parts thereof.*

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Parts of Lions

Examples of the

PARTS of LIONS.

1. ARgent, a *Lions head erazed* Vert.

2. Ruby, a *Cheveron* between three *Lions heads* erazed Pearl, born by the Right Noble *Chriſtopher* Duke of *Albemarle*, Earl of *Torrington* Baron *Monk* of *Potheridge*, *Beauchamps* and *Teys*, Knight of the *Garter*, Captain of His Majeſties Life *Guard*, Lord Leiutenant of *Eſſex* and *Devonſhire*, one of the *Gentlemen* of His *Majeſties Bedchamber*, and one of the Lords of his moſt Honourable *Privy Councel*, &c.

Azure, a *Cheveron* between three *Lions heads* erazed Or, born by Sir *Hugh Windham* of *Silton* in *Dorſetſhire* Knight, one of the *Juſtices* of His Majeſties *Court* of *Common Pleas* at *Weſtminſter*. And is

Windham. alſo born by *Thomas Windham* of *Tale* in *Devonſhire* Eſquire, one of the *Grooms* of His *Majeſties Bedchamber*, third Son of Sir *Edmund Windham* of *Cathanger* in *Somerſetſhire*, Knight *Marſhal* of His *Majeſties Houſhold.*

3. Or, three *Bars* Azure, on a *Canton* Gules, a *Lions head erazed* Argent, born by *Thomas Cox* M. D. *Phyſitian* in Ordinary to His Majeſty King *Charles* the Second. And is alſo born by *Daniel Cox* of *London* Dr. in Phyſick.

Cox.

4. Ruby, a *Bezant* between three *Demy Lions Rampant* Pearl, born by the Right Honourable *Henry* Earl of *Arlington*, Viſcount *Thetford*, Knight of the *Garter*, Lord *Chamberlain* of His Majeſties houſhold, and one of the *Lords* of His *Majeſties* Honourable *Privy Councel*. And is born by the Right Honourable Sir *John Bennet* Knight of the *Bath*, and *Baron* of *Oſweſtre*, &c.

Earl of *Arlington.*

Lord *Oſweſtre.*

Alſo by *John Bennet* of *Abington* in *Cambridgeſhire*, Eſquire.

Bennet.

5. Azure, two *Bars Wavey* Ermine, on a *Chief* Or, a *Demy Lion* Sable, born by Sir *James Smith* of the City of *London* Knight and *Alderman.*

Smith.

6. Or

6. Or, out of the midſt of a *Feſs* Sable, a *Lion Rampant Naiſſant* Gules, by the name of *Emme*. *Emme.*

This Form of Blazon is peculiar to all living things that ſhall be found iſſuing out of the midſt of ſome ordinary, or common charge.

7. *Vert*, three *Quarterfoils* Argent, each charged with a *Lions head Erazed*, Sable, born by *Thomas Plot* Eſquire, Secretary to his Highneſs the great Duke of *Tuſcany*; deſcended of the Family of the *Plots Sparſholt* in *Berkſhire*. *Plot.*

8. Argent, two *Lions Paws* erected in *Saltier*, the dexter ſurmounted of the ſiniſter Azure.

9. Sable, two *Lions Paws* iſſuing out of a dexter and ſiniſter baſe points erect in form of a *Chevron* Argent, by the name of *Frampton*. *Frampton.*

10. Gules, three *Lions Paws* or *Gambes* Erazed Argent, born by *Richard Newdigate* of *Ardbury* of *Warwickſhire*, Eſquire. *Newdigate.*

11. Azure, three *Lions Paws* couped and erected Argent, by the name of *Uſher*. *Uſher.*

12. Argent, three *Lions Tails* erected and erazed Gules. *Cork.*

The *Lion* hath great ſtrength in his *Tail*, and his much motion thereof is a ſure ſign of Anger. When he intends to aſſail his Enemy he ſtirreth up his courage by often beating his back and ſides with his *Tail*, and when he is hunted the better to eſcape his *Purſuers* (with his *Tail* as he goeth) he ſweepeth out his footſteps and leaveth no tract behind him.

Theſe and the like *Parts* of *Lions*, and all other *Beaſts* are born on, and between, any of the *Ordinaries*.

From *Lions* I ſhall proceed to *Elephants*, *Horſes*, and other *Beaſts*.

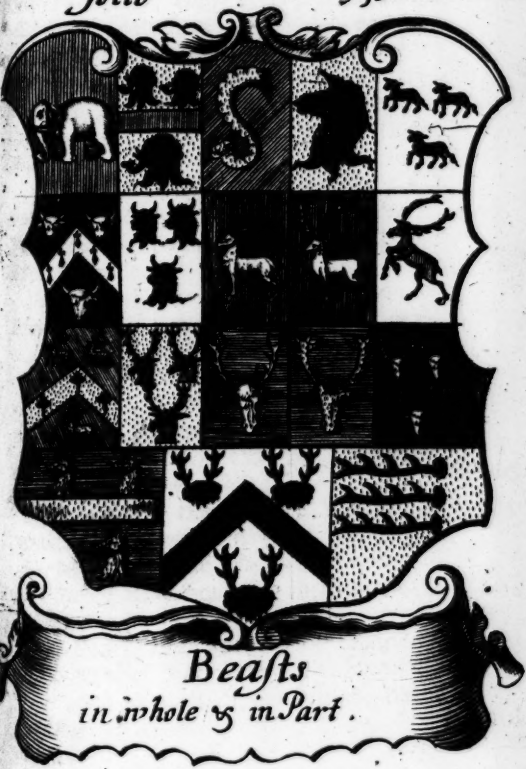
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BEASTS *in whole and in part.*

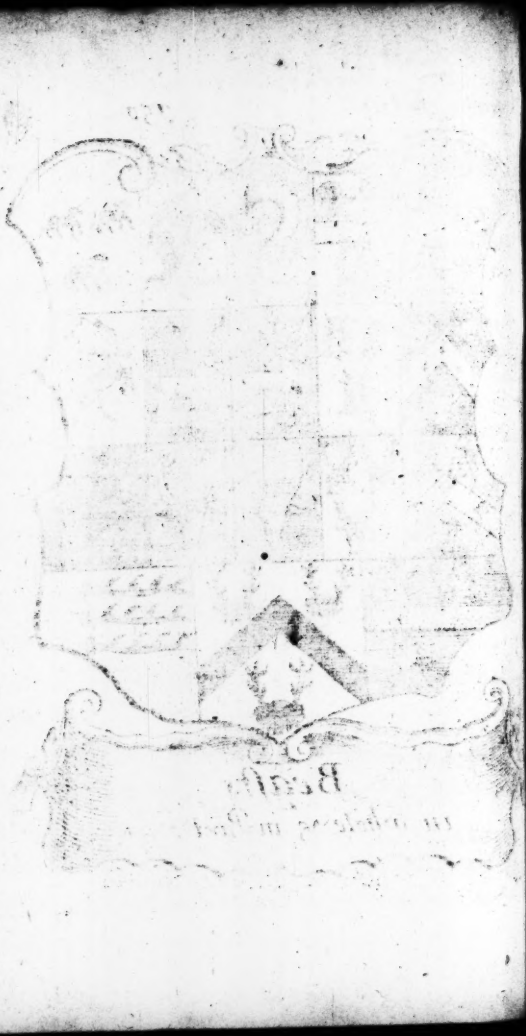
1. GUles, an *Elephant* paſſant Argent, tusked Or, by the name of *Elpington*.

Elpington.

The *Elephant* is a Beaſt of great ſtrength but of greater wit and docility ſurpaſſing



Beasts
in whole & in Part.



ſurpaſſing all other *Beaſts*, and is ſo ambitious that if they are praiſed they will kill themſelves with labour, his ſtrength appears in that he carrieth on his back in a *Caſtle of Wood* about thirty men, as is accuſtomary in the *Eaſtern Countries* to make uſe of them in their *Wars*.

2. Or a *Feſs* Gules between three *Elephants heads erazed* Sable, born by *John Fountain* of *Melton* on the Hill in *Yorkſhire*, Eſquire. *John Fountain.*

3. Purpure, a *Proboſcide Trunk* or *Snout* of an *Elephant* in *Pale* couped, flexed and reflexed in form of an S Or.

The *Elephant* hath great ſtrength in this part and uſeth it for his hand, as well to feed himſelf, as for all uſes of Agility.

4. Or, an *Aſſes* head erazed Sable, by the name of *Hackwell*. *Hackwell.*

The *Aſs* is the lively Embleme of patience: From this *Beaſt*, and the *Horſe* cometh the *Mule* which being ſo produced doth not bring forth young as other *Beaſts*.

5. Pearl, three *Bulls Paſſant* Diamond, This was the Coat of the Right Honourable *Anthony* Earl of *Shaftsbury*, Baron *Aſhley* of *Wimborn* Saint *Giles*, Lord *Cooper* *Earl of Shaftsbury.*

Cooper of *Pawlet*, &c.

The *Bull* is the Ringleader amongſt ruther *Beaſts*, and through hope of his encreaſe of breed he is priviledged to rang freely in all Paſtures.

The *Bull* being *Gelt* changeth not only his nature but his name to an *Ox*. And it is ſaid that the *Athenians* to expreſs their gratefulneſs for the laborious travel of the *Ox*, did ſtamp it's Figure on a certain *Coyn* called a *Didrachma*.

6. Sable, a *Cheveron* Ermine between three *Bulls head caboſed* Argent, born by *Thomas Sanders* of little *Ireton* in *Derbyſhire*, Eſquire.

Sanders.

7. Pearl, three *Bulls head erazed* Diamond, born by the Right Honourable Sir *John Skeffington* of *Fiſherwick* in *Staffordſhire*, Barronet, Baron of *Loughneugh*, Viſcount *Maſſereen*, *Cuſtos Rotolorum*, and Governour of the County of *Londonderry* and Town of *Coleraine* and one of the *Lords* of His *Majeſty* moſt Honourable *Privy Councel* for *Ireland*

Lord *Maſſereene.*

8. Gules, a *Goat Paſſant* Argent, by the name of *Baker*.

Baker.

The *Goat* is not ſo hardy as politick.

9. Gules, a *Stag ſtanding* at *Gaze* Argent

gent, attired Or, by the name of *Jones*. *Jones.*

The *Stag* is a goodly Beast, full of State in his *Gate* and *View*, and amongst *Beasts* of *Chase* is esteemed the cheif for *Game*. It is observed that when he findeth himself Fat he lodgeth in obscure places to avoid Chasing. This Beast is indued with two excellent faculties above others to wit quickness of hearing, and swiftness of Foot, which makes the Chase more long and difficult.

10. Argent, a *Stag* springing forward Gules.

Pliny saith that the Horns of this Beast whilst they are growing are so mollified with Wax that they may be made capable of divers *Impressions*. All *Horns* are hallow except towards the tip, but the *Deers* are solid throughout.

11. *Vert*, on a *Cheveron* between three *Bucks traping* Or, as many *Trefoils slipped* Gules, born by Sir *Lumbley Robinson* of *Kentwell-hall* in *Suffolk* Barronet, Son and Heir of Sir *Thomas Robinson*, chief *Prothonotary* of his *Majesties Court* of *Common Pleas*, deceased. *Robinson.*

The *Buck* is a worthy *Beast*, and hath much of the properties of the *Stag*, but

but cometh short of his stateliness and boldness.

12. Or, three *Bucks head couped* proper, born by Sir *Peter Colleton* of Saint *James*'s *Fields* in *Middlesex*, Baronet. *Colleton.*

The Bearing of the *Head* of any living thing betokeneth jurisdiction and Authority to administer Justice, and to execute *Laws*.

13. *Saphir*, a *Stags* head Pearl, born by the Right Honourable *George Leg*, Baron of *Dartmouth*, Master General of the *Ordnance*, Leiutenant of *Alcebolt*, and *Wolmer* Forest in *Hantshire*, Master of the Horse to his Royal Highness *James* Duke of *York*, Admiral of His *Majesties Fleet* of Ships in the *Mediterranean*, *Anno* 1683, and one of the *Lords* of His *Majesties* most Honourable *Privy Council*, &c. *Lord Dartmouth.*

14. *Saphir*, a *Bucks head caboshed* Topaz, vulned in the forehead proper, born by the Right Honourable *Kenneth*, *M' Kenzie*, Earl of *Seafort*, Lord *M' Kenzie* and *Kentail*, Baron of *Ardelu*, *Islandonan* and *Lews*, Sheriff principal of the Shires of *Ross*, and North *Nass*, &c. *Earl of Seafort.*

15. Diamond, three *Bucks heads caboshed* Pearl, *attired* Topaz, born by the Right



Beasts in whole, and in part.

Right Honourable *William* Earl of *Devonshire*, Baron *Cavendish* of *Hardwick* Lord Leiutenant of *Derby-shire*, &c. Earl of *Devonshire*

16. Azure, a *Fess* between three *Tigers heads erazed* Or, born by Sir *Henry Hunlock* of *Wingerworth* in *Derbyshire*, Baronet. *Hunlock.*

17. Argent, a *Chevuron* between three *Attires* of a *Stag* fixed to the *Scalp* Sable, by the Name of *Cockes.* *Cockes.*

18. Or, three *Attires* of a *Stag* born paly *Barry* Sable.

Other Examples of

BEASTS *in whole and in part.*

1. SAble, a *Fess* between three *Horses passant* Argent, born by Sir *Thomas Stamp* of *London*, Knight and Alderman. *Stamp.*

A *Horse* erected, (that is bolt upright) may be termed enraged, but his noblest Action

Action is expreſt in a ſaliant form. The *Horſe* of all *Beaſts* for mans uſe is eſteemed the moſt noble, and uſeful either in Peace or War, he is naturally ſtubborn, fierce and pround, and of all *Beaſts* there is none that vaunteth more after Victory obtained, or dejected if vanquiſhed, and none more prone to *Battle*, or deſirous of revenge.

2. Gules, a *Horſes head* couped Argent, this was the Coat of Sir *Thomas Marſh* of *Darkes* in the Pariſh of *South Mimms* in *Middleſex*, Knight deceaſed.

Marſh.

3. Argent, a *Unicorn ſeiant* Sable, horned Or, by the name of *Harling*.

Harling.

The *Unicorn* takes his name from his one Horn which grows on his Forehead, yet there is another Beaſt called a *Rinoceros* which hath but one Horn, but that doth grow on his Snout.

The *Unicorn* is no leſs worthy of remark for his Vertue then for his Strength in that his *Horn* is ſaid to be a powerful *Antidote* againſt poyſon, in ſo much as (according to the general opinion) the wild Beaſt (for fear of the venemous *Serpents*) uſe not to drink before he hath ſtirred the *Waters* with his *Horn*; he is ſaid

ſaid to be of ſuch a great and haughty mind that he will never be taken alive, but rather will be killed; being by nature of ſo untamely a diſpoſition.

4. Gules, an *Unicorn* triping Argent, armed Or, by the name of *Muſtertom*. *Muſtertom*

5. Vert, three *Unicorns* in *Pale currant* Argent, armed Or, by the name of *Farington*. *Farington.*

6. Sable, a *Camel paſſant* Argent.

This *Beaſt* doth ſurpaſs the *Horſe*, not only for ſtrength (his common burthen being 1000*l.* weight,) but for his ſwiftneſs in Travel.

7. Argent, a *Bore paſſant* Gules, armed Or, by the name of *Trewarthen*. *Trewarthen*

The *Bore* though he wanteth *Horns* is no way defective in his Weapon of defence or rather of offence, to wit his ſtrong and ſharp *Tusks*, being reckoned for the moſt abſolute *Champion* amongſt the *Wild Beaſts*. In his fight he is ſo cruel, and ſtomackful that he foameth all the while for rage, and againſt the time of any encounter he *often* whetteth his *Tusks* to make them more peircing, and he beareth the encounter with a noble courage.

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8. Topaz, three *Bores heads* erazed and erected Diamond armed of the first, born by the Right Honourable *George* Lord *Booth* Baron *de la Mere* of *Dunham Massey* in *Cheshire*.

Lord *De la Mere.*

And by Sir *Robert Booth* of *Salford* in *Lancashire*, Knight, Lord *Cheif Justice* of his Majesties *Court of Common Pleas* in *Ireland*, and one of his Majesties most Honourable *Privy Councel* for the said Kingdom.

Booth.

And is also born by *Richard Booth* of the City of *London*, Esquire.

9. Argent, a *Cheveron* between three *Bores head* erazed Sable, born by *Theophilus Oglethorp* of the Parish of Saint *Martins* in the *Fields* in *Middlesex Leiutenant Collonel* to his Royal *Highness's* Troop of his *Majesties* Horse *Guards*, &c.

Oglethorp.

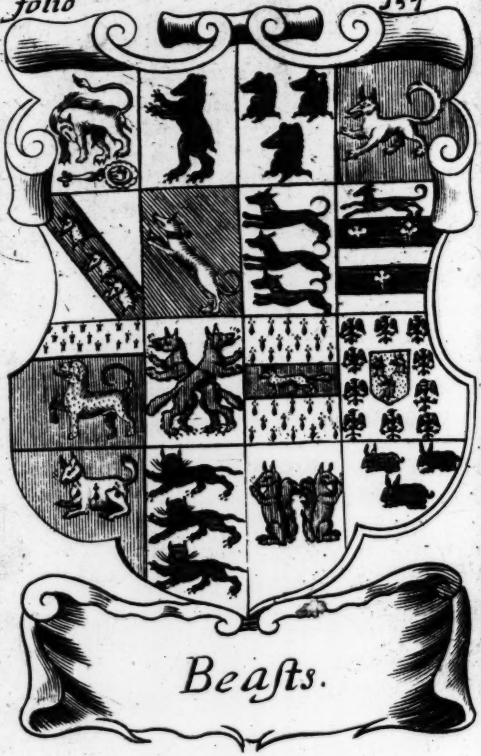
10. Azure, three *Cups* Or, out of each a *Bores head* erected Argent, born by Sir *John Bolles* of *Scampton* in *Lincolnshire* Baronet.

Bolles.

11. Azure, a *Toison d'* Or within a *Treasure* of *Scotland* Or, born by Sir *Robert Jason* of Broad *Somerford* in *Wiltshire*, Baronet.

Jason.

12. Argent, a *Cheveron* Sable, between three *Rams heads erazed* Azure, born by Sir



Beasts.

Sr John Bendish of *Steple-Bumsted* in *Essex* Baronet. *Bendish.*

The *Ram* is a Captain of the whole flock, and his strength consisteth in his head.

Other Examples of

BEASTS.

1. ARgent, a *Tiger passant regardant*, gazing in a looking Glass all proper.

The *Tiger* is said to be a *Beast* of great cruelty and exceeding swift of Foot, whence some think the River *Tigris* took its name.

It is reported that when those that go to rob her of her young, do use a policy to detain their Dam from following them, by casting sundry *Looking Glasses* in the way, on which she useth to gaze long upon whether it be to behold her own

own beauty, or because when she seeth her shape in the Glass she thinketh she seeth one of her young ones; but by this means they escape her.

2. Argent, a *Bear Rampant* Sable, muſled Or, by the name of *Barnard*.

Barnard.

The *Bear* by nature is a cruel *Beast*, and in its combates useth no less policy then strength. The *Female* is most cruelly enraged against any that hurts her young, or robbeth her of them.

3. Argent, three *Bears heads erazed* Sable, *Muſled* Or, born by Sir *James Langham* of *Cottes-brook* in *Northamptonshire*, Knight and Baronet.

Langham.

By Sir *William Langham* of *Walgrave* in the said County Knight. And by Sir *Stephen Langham* of *London* Knight, Sons of Sir *John Langham*, Baronet deceased.

4. Gules, a *Wolf preyent* Argent, born by Sir *Edward Low* of *New Sarum*, in *Wiltshire* Kt. one of the *Masters* of the high Court of *Chancery*.

Low.

The *Wolf* by nature is a greedy, ravenous and cruel Creature, and a great Enemy to the poor harmless *Sheep*; insomuch that (for the publick good) Laws have been made to give a gratuity to those

those that kill, or take any of them alive.

Macidon Grand-child of *Cham* the Son of *Noah* bore a *Wolf* when he went under the Conduct of *Osius*. And the Image of a *Wolf* was set up at *Delphos* before *Apollo* who was called *Lycoctones* a *Wolf* killer and he was rewarded by the Laws of *Draco* and *Solon* that killed or took alive this Creature.

5. Argent, on a *Bend* Vert, three *Wolves heads* erazed of the Field, born by Sir *Richard Middelton* of *Chirk Castle* in *Denbighshire* Baronet. *Myddelton.*

And by Sir *Thomas Middleton* of *Stansted Mount-Fitchet* in *Essex* Knight.

6. Vert, a *Greyhound currant* Argent, collored Gules, studded Or, born by *Richard Blome* of *Abergwlly* in *Caermardenshire*, Esquire, by *John Blome* of *Sevenoke* in *Kent*, Gentleman, and by *Richard Blome* of *London* Gentleman, the Author of this Tract of *Heraldry*. *Blome.*

The *Dog* whether it be for Pleasure and Game in the Field, as the Greyhound, and the *Hound* (of which there are several sorts as the *Buck-hound*, *Blood-hound*, *Harier*, *Grey-hound* and the like; or for safe-guard at home as the *Mastiff*

deſerveth a very high eſtimation, and of all *Dogs* thoſe of Chaſe are the moſt deſerving in *Heraldry*.

It is obſerved that there is ſcarce any vertue incident to a Man, but there are ſome reſemblances thereof in the ſundry kinds of *Dogs*; and the *Maſtiff* hath that undaunted courage and true love to his Maſter that he will take his part even to death, inſomuch that the *Romans* took *Maſtiffs* hence to carry in their Army inſtead of *Souldiers*; others there are that when they happen to be loſt will refuſe meat to eat untill they ſee their Maſters again; others are to be admired for their excellent properties in looking to their *Maſters* Goods, others in fetching, carrying, and finding out any loſt thing that they are enjoyned to do; and others in purſuing any thing or Game in the Chaſe by the ſcent of its foot.

More. 7. Argent, three *Grey-hounds* in *Pale currant* Sable collered Or, born by Sir *Cleve More* of *More-hall*, and *Bank-hall* in *Lancaſhire* Baronet, and by Sir *John More* of *London*, Knight and Alderman, late Lord Mayor thereof.

Gules, three *Grey-hounds currant* in Pale Argent, collered of the Field, born by

by Sir *Thomas Mauleverer* of *Allerton-Mauleverer* in *Yorkſhire*, Baronet. *Mauleverer.*

8. Argent, two *Bars* Sable charged with three *Trefoils* of the Field, in *Coief* a *Greyhound* currant of the ſecond, born by *William Palmer* of *Ladgrave* in *Warwickſhire*, Eſquire. *Palmer.*

9. Gules, a *Talbot paſſant* Or, a Chief Ermine, born by *Thomas Chaffin* of *Chettle* in *Dorſetſhire* Eſquire. *Chaffin.*

10. Argent, two *Reynards* or *Foxes counter-Saliant* in *Bend*, the dexter ſurmounted of the ſiniſter Saltire wiſe Gules by the name of *Kadrod-Hard* of *Wales*. *Kadrod-Hard.*

The *Fox* for his great wit and ſubtilty doth ſurpaſs all Beaſts, and is compared to the crafty *Lawyer*.

11. Ermine, on a *Feſs* Gules, a *Fox paſſant* Or, born by Sir *Thomas Proby* of *Elton-hall* in *Huntingtonſhire*, Knight. And by *John Proby* of the middle *Temple London*, Eſquire. *Proby.*

12. Or, three *Foxes heads* erazed Gules, a *Border* Argent charged with eight *Flower de lis* Azure, born by *Nevinſon Fox* of *Stadbrook* in *Suffolk*, Eſquire. *Fox.*

13. Gules, an *Ermine* proper.

The *Skin* of this little Beaſt is an exceeding rich Fur uſed for the Lining of

Kings and *Princes* Robes, and is that Fur so much used in *Heraldry* called *Ermine*.

14. Argent, three *Cat a mountains passant* in *Pale* Sable, born by Sir *Jonathan Keat* of *Pauls Walden* in *Hertfordshire*, Baronet.

Keat.

There is no Creature that contendeth so much for liberty as the *Cat*, and therefore the *Dutch* formerly bore it for their Ensign.

It is also a Creature of such great use that no house can well be without one for the destroying Vermine.

15. Argent, two *Squirrels Sciant endorsed* Gules, born by Sir *Thomas Samwel* of *Upton* and *Gayton* in the County of *Northamptonshire* Baronet.

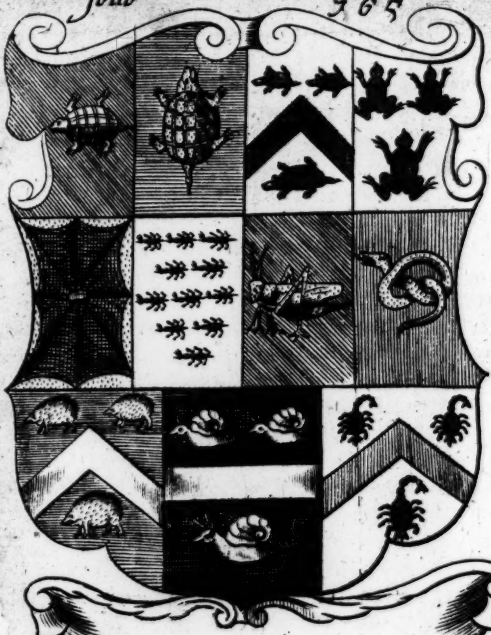
Samwell.

This little *Creature* is much to be commended for his great industry in gathering, and providing his food in the Summer for the Winter, which should be an example to the slothful man who regardeth nothing but from hand to mouth.

16. Argent, three *Coneys* Sable, by the name of *Stroud*.

Stroud.

From the *Coney* 'tis said that men first learnt the Art of undermining and subverting



Animalls.

verting of *Cities*, *Caſtles*, and *Towers*, by the Induſtry of *Pioneers*.

From *Beaſts* I ſhall proceed to *Animals*.

Examples of

ANIMALS.

1. VERT, a *Tortois paſſant*, Argent, born by Sir *Charles Gawdy* of *Crows-hill* in *Debenham* in *Suffolk*, Kt. and Baronet. By *Charles Gawdy* of *Stapeſton*, and by *Anthony Gawdy* of *Ipſwich* both of the ſaid County Eſquires. *Gawdy.*

Tortoiſes, live both by Land and Sea, and are much eſteemed as well for their Vertues, and operation, as for the delicacy of their Shells uſed for divers curious works, and their fleſh to eat. They are Enemies to Vipers deſtroying both *Snails* and *Worms* that eat the *Fruits*. The Shells of the *Arcadian Tortoiſes* are very

great of which they make *Harps* whereof *Mercury* is ſaid to be the firſt inventor, who finding a *Tortoiſe* upon the *Rocks* after the falling of the River *Nilus*, the fleſh being conſumed, and the ſinews dried up, he ſtroke them with his hand, and making a kind of muſical ſound he framed it into a *Harp*.

Cooper. 2. Azure, a *Tortoiſe erected* Or, by the name of *Cooper*.

Twiſſleton. 3. Argent, a *Cheveron* between three *Mouls*, or *Wants* Sable, born by *Richard Twiſleton* of *Drax* in the *Weſt-riding* of *Yorkſhire* Eſquire.

This *Animal* is very pernitious in *Gardens*, *Orchards*, and other grounds caſting up the Earth in great hillocks with their Snouts. They are very quick of hearing, and have a good ſmell.

Betereux. 4. Argent, three *Toads* erected Sable, by the name of *Betereux*.

Toads and *Frogs* when they ſit, hold up their heads without motion, which ſtately action *Spencer* in his *Shepheards* Calender calleth the *Lording* of *Frogs*.

5. Or, a *Cobweb* in the *Center* thereof a *Spider* proper.

The *Spider* may be ſaid to be born free of the *Weavers* Company, for ſhe ſtu-

ſtudieth not his *Art*, nor hath his ſtuff having her thread out of her womb, from whence ſhe laboriouſly draweth it, and through the Agility of her Feet ſhe weaveth gins and dilateth, contracteth and knitteth them in form of a *Net*, and with the *threads* that ſhe draweth out of her body ſhe repaireth the ſame, and theſe *Webs* are framed with much artificial cunning, and yet are fit for no uſe, but to entangle Flies; and as it is obſerved, the Execution of the Law is compared to *Cobwebs*.

Laws like Spiders webs are wrought.
Great Flies eſcape, and ſmall are caught.

The *Spider* is poiſonous, yet her *Web*, although it be drawn out of her *Womb*, is ſaid to be an *Antidote* againſt it.

6. Argent, 11 *Emets* 3, 2, 3, 2, 1, Sable.

By the *Emet*, or *Piſmire*, as indeed by the *Spider* may be ſignified a man of great labour, wiſdom, and providence in his Affairs: And to theſe little Creatures the ſlothful man is ſent to learn wiſdom.

7. Vert, a *Graſs-hopper* in *Feſs paſſant* Or.

In the Summer Seaſon the Male *Graſs-hoppers* do ſing, but the Females are ſilent.

Amongſt the *Athenians Graſs-hoppers* were holden for a ſpecial note of *Nobility*, and therefore did uſe to wear in their Hair golden *Graſs hoppers*. *Solomon* reckoneth the *Graſs hopper* for one of the four ſmall things in the Earth that are full of wiſdom, but according to the Fable the *Emet* thinks him otherwiſe.

Nathiley. 8. Gules, an *Adder* nowed Or, by the name of *Nathiley*.

The *Serpent* is very ſubtile and prudent, as well to hurt others, as to ſave himſelf; and knowing that his moſt principal and moſt weakeſt part to be his head, he hath the greateſt care thereof; this here enfolded may ſeem as *Guillim* noteth to be one of the Locks of that Monſtrous Dame *Meduſa*, every Hair of whoſe Head was ſaid to be a *Snake*, and indeed *Albertus* ſaith that the Hair of Women taken at ſome Seaſons and laid in Dung will become venemous *Serpents*, which ſome have ſuppoſed to betal that Sex for the ancient familiarity it had at firſt with that accurſed Serpent.

9 Azure

9. Azure, a *Cheveron* between three *Urchins*, or *Hegdhogs* Argent, born by *William Mainſton* of *London* Gentleman, lineally deſcended from *Thomas Mainſton* of *Urchinfield* in *Herefordſhire* Gentleman, who lived *Temps Edward* the Third. Mainſton.

The *Hedghogs* may be compared to a *Man* expert in gathering of ſubſtance, and as it were one that maketh Hay whilſt the Sun ſhineth.

10. Sable, a *Feſs* between three *Houſe Snails Argent*, by the name of *Shelley*. Shelley.

The *Snail* though a ſlow goer yet in time by the conſtancy of her Courſe aſcendeth to the top of the higheſt Tower.

It is Fabled that when the *Hare* was to go a Journey for a Wager with the *Snail*, the *Hare* too confident of his Foot manſhip reſolved to take a Nap by the way but the *Snail* well knowing that he had nothing to truſt unto but his indefatigable perſeverance came to his Journeys end before the *Hare* awaked.

11. Argent, a *Cheveron* Gules between three *Scorpions* reverſed Sable, by the name of *Cole*. Cole.

Scorpions are venemous yet the Oyl made

made of them is an approved *Antidote* againſt their own ſtinging.

Thus much of Animals under which head may be comprehended all thoſe of four or more Feet that lay *Eggs*, as *Crocodiles*, *Salamanders*, *Cameleons*, *Ewres*, *Lizards*, &c.

CHAP.

CHAP. IV.

Treats of Fowls *and* Birds *of all ſorts, which may be termed* Areal Animals, *and may be conſidered by their Feet, which are either whole, which reſembleth the Palm of a Hand, and ſuch are the* Swan, Gooſe, Duck, *and for the moſt part all River* Fowls: *or divided as the* Eagle, Falcon, Raven, *and the like, and Birds of the Air as ſhall appear by the following Examples.*

ALL *Fowls* of what kind ſoever muſt be bore in their natural Actions, of *Going*, *Setting*, *Standing*, or *Flying*.

Concerning the *Beaks* or *Bills*, and Feet of *Birds* all thoſe that either are whole

whole Footed, or have their Feet divided, and yet have no *Tallons* ſhould be termed *Membred*; but the *Cock* and all *Birds* of *Prey* ſhould be termed Armed; and the *Arming*, or Membring them is always to be of a different Colour from the Fowl or Bird it ſelf.

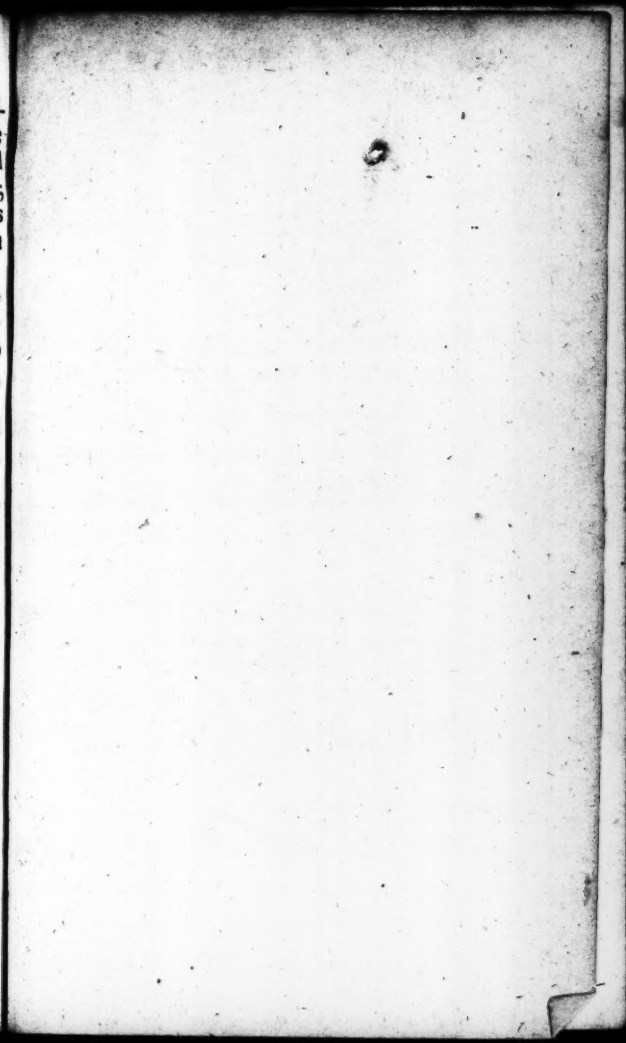
It is generally obſerved that the Females amongſt Birds of Prey are the nobleſt and moſt hardy which nature hath ſo ordered, as being her part to take care, and to provide for her young.

In the *Blazoning of Fowls* much uſed to fly, if their Wings be not diſplayed they muſt be termed cloſe.

The Parts and Members of *Fowls* are uſually born in *Coat Armour* both couped and erazed, and that on, or between, any of the *Honourable Ordinaries*.

Birds are of a more noble bearing than *Fiſh* for that they perticipate more of the *Fire* and *Air* the nobleſt Elements.

Examples





Fowle &, Birds.

Examples of

FOWL and BIRDS.

1. GUles, a *Swan* Argent, by the name of *Leigham*. *Leigham.*

All River *Fowls* have their Tails ſhorter then *other Birds*, for the length of the Tail doth hinder their *Swiming*, *Diving*, or *Running*.

The *Swan* is a *Bird* of great Beauty and Strength, and it is ſaid that he uſeth not his Strength to Prey, or Tyranize over any other *Fowl*, but only to be revenged on ſuch, as firſt offer him wrong, in which caſe he often ſubdueth the *Eagle*, and it is obſerved that he never encounters with any other of his own kind, but in two caſes, the one if any be a Rival in his Love, or offer to *Court* his Mate, he will be revenged to death; the next is if another do incroach upon his poſſeſſion,

on, or place of haunt, he is never quiet until he hath expulsed him.

2. Azure, a *Bend Engrailed* Argent, between two *Signets Royal* proper, born by Sir *Charles Pitfield* of *Hoxton* in the Parish of Saint *Leonards Shoreditch* in *Middlesex* Knight, deceased.

Pitfield.

Azure, three *Swans* Argent, by the name of *Charlton.*

Charlton.

Gules, three *Swans* Argent, by the name of *Bawdrip.*

Bawdrip.

Sable, a *Swan* with her Wings *expanded* Argent, *Membred* Or, within a *Border Engrailed* of the Second, by the name of *More.*

More.

Azure, two *Swans* Argent, between as many *Flanches* Ermine, born by *Samuel Mellish* of the Inner *Temple*, *London*, Esquire.

Mellish.

3. Sable, a *Cheveron* between three *wild Ducks* Volant proper.

The *Wild Duck* hath many enemies, as *Men*, *Dogs*, and *Hawks*, yet by their shifts in *Flying*, *Swimming*, and *Diving*, they often beguile the hope of their pursuers.

4. Argent, a *Stork* Sable, Membred Gules, by the name of *Starkey.*

Starkey.

The *Stork* is a *Bird* most careful of her young,

young, and therefore nature requiteth her care; for their young do take the like care of them in their old Age, whence it is that the *Stork* is the Emblem of a grateful Man, and a dutiful Son. *Ælian* writes of a *Stork*, which bred in the Houſe of one that had a beautiful Wife, which in her Husbands abſence uſed to commit Adultery with one of her meaner Servants, which the *Stork* obſerving, in gratitude to him who freely gave him *Houſe-room* he flying in the Villains face ſtruck out both his Eyes.

5. Ermine, a *Spread Eagle*, or *Eagle* diſplayed Gules, born by Sir *Henry Bedingfield* of *Oxborough*, and *Beckhall* in *Norfolk* Baronet. Bedingfield

The *Eagle* hath a ſharp and *peircing* ſight, and ſoareth ſo high that oft times ſhe tranſcendeth the ſight of a man. She hath a tender care of her young, and when they are ready to flie taketh them on her Wings, and ſo ſoareth with them through the Air to teach them to fly.

6. Argent, a *Spread Eagle* with two *Heads* Sable, born by Sir *John Glynn* of *Burceſter* alias *Biſiſter* in *Oxfordſhire* Baronet. Glyn.

7. Gules,

7. Gules, a *Bend* between two *Eagles*
Travel. *diſplayed* Or, born by *Thomas Travel* of Saint *Martins in the Fields* in *Middleſex*, Eſquire.

8. Vert, three *Eagles diſplayed* in *Feſ*
Wynn. Or, by the name of *Wynn*.

Other Examples of Eagles.

Cotton. AZure an *Eagle diſplayed Argent*, born by Sir *Robert Cotton de Bruce* of *Hatley*, Saint *George* in *Cambridgeſhire* Knight.

Goddard. Gules, an *Eagle diſplayed* Or, born by *Edward Goddard* of *Standen*, by *Thomas Goddard* of *Swinden*, *Richard Goddard* of *Catford*, and by *Edward Goddard* of *Oſbourn* all of *Wiltſhire* Eſquires.

Millington. Argent, an *Eagle diſplayed* Sable, by the name of *Millington*.

Boyland. Sable, an *Eagle* diſplayed Argent armed Gules, by the name of *Boyland*.

Bilney. Argent, an *Eagle* diſplayed Vert, by the name of *Bilney*.

armed

Or, an *Eagle* displayed Sable, by the name of *Kirkhill*. *Kirkhill.*

Gules, an *Eagle* displayed Ermine, by the name of *Waney*. *Waney.*

Parted per *Pale* Or, an Argent, an *Eagle displayed* Gules, by the name of *Thomp-son*. *Thompson.*

Parted per *Pale* Gules and Ermine, an *Eagle displayed* Or, by the name of *Bor-dam*. *Bordam.*

Parted per *Bend*, Gules and Vert an *Eagle displayed* Or, by the name of *Grave*. *Grave.*

Azure, three *Eaglets* displayed Or, by the name of *Billesworth*. *Billesworth*

Or, three *Eaglets displayed* Gules, by the name of *Eglesford*. *Eglesford.*

Argent, three *Eaglets* displayed Gules by the name of *Eaglesfield*. *Eaglesfield*

Sable, six *Eaglets displayed* Argent, by the name of *Barantine*. *Barantine.*

9. Sable, a *Goshawk* Argent, *Perching* upon a *Stock*, fixed in the *Base point* of the *Escocheon* of the second, *Armed*, *Jessed*, and *Belled* Or, by the name of *Weele*. *Weele.*

Next to the *Eagle* which is reckoned the Sovereign Queen of all *Fowls*, the the *Goshawk*, the *Ger-Falcon*, the *Falcon*,

and other Birds of Prey are the Gheif.

Gules, three *Falcons* Argent, Armed, Jessed and Belled Or, by the name of *Atherton*.

Atherton.

Azure, three *Falcons* Argent, *Armed*, *Jessed*, and *Belled* Or, by the name of *Pennington*.

Pennington.

Sable, a *Falcon* Argent, Armed Or, by the name of *Tedling*.

Tedling.

10. Gules, a *Cheveron* between three *Facons* Argent, born by *George Hadley* of East *Barnet* in *Hertfordshire* Esquire.

Hadley.

11. Azure, three *Bustards* rising Or, by the name of *Nevill*.

Nevill.

It is observable that all long Shank'd Fowl in their flight do streteh forth their Legs at length to their *Tails*, but the short do truss their Feet up to the midst of their *Bodies*.

12. Or, a *Raven* proper born by Sir *John Corbet* of *Stoke* upon *Teane*, and *Adderley* in *Shropshire* Baronet.

Corbet.

The *Raven* is said to give no food to it's young until she seeth what colour they will be of, and when she seeth them black like her self she is very careful of them. This Bird is said to live about 100 years, and doth take it's name from it's rapine quality.

13. Gules,

13. Gules, a *Pelican* in her *Neſt*, with *Wings diſplayed*, feeding her young ones Or, vulned proper, by the name of *Carne*. *Carne.*

The *Egyptian Prieſts* as *Farneſius* noteth uſed the *Pelican* for a *Hieroglyphick* to expreſs the duties of a Father to his Children.

14. Gules, three *Cocks* Argent, armed, creſted, and Jolloped Or, by the name of *Cock*. *Cock.*

The *Cock* may not improperly be termed the Knight amongſt *Birds*, being of a noble courage, and alſo prepared to Battel, having his *Comb* for an *Helmet*, his ſharp and hooked Bill for a *Faulcheon*, or *Courtlax*, and as a compleat Soldier armed *a Cap-a-pee*, he hath his Legs armed with *Spurs*. When he is Victor he croweth which gives teſtimony of his Conqueſt, and when he is vanquiſhed he ſhuneth the light, or ſociety of men.

15. Or, three *Swallows*, their Wings cloſe proper, by the name of *Watton*. *VVatton.*

The *Swallow* is the welcome harbinger, ſhewing the approach of the Spring.

16. Argent, a *Croſs* Gules between four *Peacocks* Azure, born by the Right Honourable *Francis* Lord *Carington*, Baron *Carington*. Lord *Carington.*

ron of *Wotton* in *Warwickſhire*, and Viſcount *Barreford* in *Ireland*.

The *Peacock* is ſo proud that when he erecteth his Fan of Plumes he admireth himſelf, and doth diſplay them againſt the rayes of the Sun that they may gliſter with the greater Glory.

Other Examples of Fowls.

Folgnardy. Argent, three *Swans diſcloſed* Sable, by the name of *Folgnardly*.

Heron. Sable, a *Heron* Argent, by the name of *Heron*.

Broncham. Argent, a *Cock* Gules, Armed, Creſted, and Jolloped Or, by the name of *Broncham*.

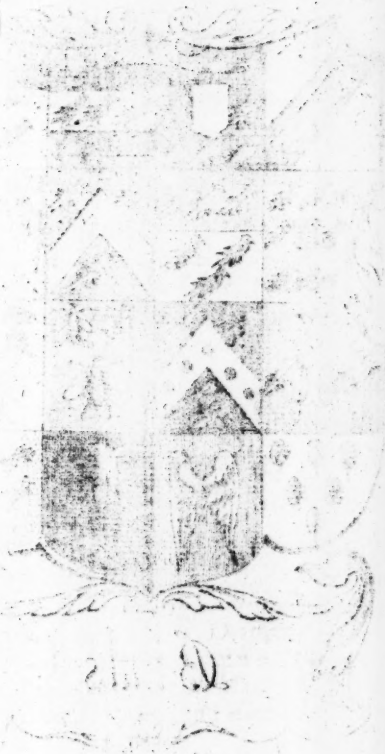
Morton. Argent, a *Raven proper*, by the name of *Morton*.

Tedling. Sable, a *Falcon* Argent, Armed Or, by the name of *Tedling*.

Nevile. Azure, three *Falcons* their *Wings* expanſed Argent, by the name of *Nevile*.

Cantrell. Argent, a *Pelican* in her *Neſt*, vulned, and diſcloſed Sable, by the name of *Cantrell*.

Azure, three *Pelicans* Or, vulned proper,





Birds.

per born by Sir *John Pelham* of *Langton* in *Suſſex* Baronet. *Pelham.*

Argent, a *Cock* Gules, Armed, Creſted, and Jolloped Or, by the name of *Brougham.* *Brougham.*

Argent, three *Cocks* Gules, by the name of *Coliborn.* *Coliborn.*

Argent, three *Cocks* Sable, Armed, Creſted, and Jolloped Or, by the name of *Pomfret.* *Pomfret.*

Sable, three *Heath Cocks* Argent, Membred Gules, by the name of *Hathe.* *Hathe.*

Argent, ſix *More Cocks* Sable, Membred Gules, by the name of *Fitz-Mores.* *Fitz-Mores.*

Other Examples of

BIRDS.

1. PEARL, on a *Bend* Diamond, three *Owls* of the Field, born by the moſt Honourable *George Savill*, Marqueſs Earl and Viſcount *Hallifax*, and Baron of *Elaid*

Eland in *Yorkſhire*, Lord *Privy Seal*, and one of the Lords of his *Majeſties* moſt Honourable Privy Councel, *&c.*

The *Owl* was *Minerva's Bird*, and was born by the *Athenians* for their Armorial Enſign. In *Armoury* he ſignifies *Prudence*, *Vigilancy*, and *Watchfulneſs* by Night.

2. Sable, an *Orle* of *Owls* within an *Eſcocheon* Argent, born by Sir *Henry Calverley* of *Eryholme* in *Yorkſhire* Knight.

Calverley.

3. Diamond, *Gutte de leau*, on a *Feſs* Pearl, three *Corniſh Choughs* proper, born by the Right Honourable *Charles* Lord *Cornwallis*, Baron of *Eye* in *Suffolk*, &c.

Lord *Cornwallis.*

4. Argent, a *Croſs Potance* between four *Martlets* Sable, a *Canton* Ermenois, born by *Thomas Stringer* of *Bexwells* in *Eſſex* Eſquire.

Stringer.

5. Or an *Eſcocheon* within an *Orle* of eight *Martlets* Sable, born by Sir *John Brownlow* of *Belton* near *Grantham* in *Lincolnſhire* Baronet.

Brownlow.

The *Martlet* hath *Legs* ſo ſhort that they can't go, and if they happen to fall upon the ground they can't raiſe themſelves upon their Feet as other *Birds* do to prepare themſelves for flight, and for this reaſon they make their Neſts upon *Rocks*, and high places, from whence they may eaſily take their flight.

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6. *Per Feſs* Gules and Argent, ſix *Martlets* counterchanged, born by Sir *Jo. Fenwick* of *Wallington* in *Northumberland* Baronet, *Cornet* to the *Queens* Troop of his *Majeſties* Guards. *Fenwick.*

7. Azure, a *Cheveron* between three *Martlets* Argent, born by *Tolemach Duke* of *Lincolns* Inn in *Middleſex* Eſquire, *Exigenter* for *London* in the Court of *Common Pleas.* *Duke.*

8. Gules, a *Cheveron embattuled* Ermine, between three *Martlets* Or, born by the *Honourable* Sir *Francis Withins* of *Eltham* in *Kent* Knight, one of the Juſtices of his Majeſties Court of *Kings Bench Weſtminſter.* *Withens.*

9. Gules, a *Ferdemolin* Argent, between two *Martlets* Or, born by Sir *William Beverſham* of *Millbeck-hall* in *Suffolk* Knight, one of the *Maſters* in *Chancery.* *Beverſham.*

10. Sable, on a *Cheveron* between ten *Martlets* Argent, five Plates, or Ogreſſes born by *Thomas Bard* of *Caversfield* in *Buckinghamſhire* Eſquire. *Bard.*

11. Azure, three *Bees volant en arriere* Argent, by the name of *Bye.* The *Bee* is a very profitable *Inſect* for its *Wax* and *Honey* which is eſteemed a great preſer- *Bye.*

ver of Nature. To speak of the properties of the *Bee*, and their Government would be too tedious for this place.

12. Argent, three *Eagles heads* erazed Sable, by the names of *Yellen*.

Yellen.

13. Argent six *Ostriches feathers* 3, 2, and 1 Sable, by the name of *Jervis*.

Jervis.

14. Gules, two *Wings impailed* conjoyned in *Fess*, or two *Wings* in *Lure* Or, by the name of *Seymour*.

Seymour.

15. Sable, an *Eagles Leg* in *Pale erazed a laquise* Argent, the *Tallons* Gules, by the name of *Canhanser*.

Canhanser.

16. Or, two *Eagles Legs barways* erazed *a la quise* Sable, armed Gules.

Other Examples of Birds.

Herwart. Argent, an *Owle* Gules, by the name of *Herwart*.

Trenethyn. Argent, a *Cornish Chough* proper, by the name of *Trenethyn*.

Hodby. Gules, three *Doves* proper, by the name of *Hodby*.

Ayer. Azure, 3 *Larks* Or, by the name of *Ayer*.

Bridge. Argent, three *Owles* Sable, by the name of *Bridge*.

Boughton. Sable, three *Owles* Argent, armed Or, by the name of *Boughton*.

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Argent, three *Coots* proper, by the name of *Coote*. *Coote.*

Parted per *Fess* Argent and Sable, a *Martlet* counterchanged, by the name of *Remis*. *Remis.*

Sable, a *Martlet* Argent by the name of *Adam*. *Adam.*

Argent, three *Martlets* Gules by the name of *Fornival*. *Fornival.*

Azure, three *Martlets* Argent by the name of *Kirketon*. *Kirketon.*

Sable, three *Martlets* Argent, by the name of *Naughton*. *Naughton.*

Gules, three *Martlets* Argent by the name of *Wotton*. *Wotton.*

Per *Cheveron* Or, and Azure, three *Martlets* counterchanged, by the name of *Edgeworth*. *Edgeworth.*

Sable, four *Martlets*, two and two Argent by the name of *Monter*. *Monster.*

Argent, five *Martlets* three and two Gules by the name of *Dowdal*. *Dowdal.*

Sable, six *Martlets* 3, 2, 1, by the name of *Apleby*. *Apleby.*

Per *Pals Indented* Argent and Sable, six *Martlets* counterchanged, by the name of *Wren*. *Wren.*

Sable eight *Martlets* 3, 2, 2, 1, Argent by the name of *Stanton*. *Stanton.*

ver

Argent, a *Flower de lis* between eight *Martlets* Sable by the name of *Rochdale*.

Rochdale.

Argent, an *Escocheon* within eight *Martlets* Gules, by the name of *Vaux*.

Vaux.

Gules, a *Cressent* Ermin between eight *Martlets* Or, by the name of *Bohun*.

Bohun.

Gules, ten *Martlets* 4, 3, 2, 1 Or, by the name of *Tochet*.

Tochet.

Sable, three *Swans* necks couped Argent, by the name of *Squire*.

Squire.

Azure, three *Peacock heads* Erazed Or, by the name of *Beconthorp*.

Beconthorp

Argent, three *Cocks heads* erazed Sable, Membred and *Jelloped* Gules, by the name of *White*.

White.

Gules, two *Wings inverted* and conjoyned Ermine, by the name of *Reney*.

Reny.

Sable, a pair of *Wings* conjoyned, and elevated Argent, born by the Right Honourable *Robert Ridgway* Earl of *Londonderry*, and Barron of *Gallon-Rigeway* in *Ireland*.

Earl of *Londonderry.*

Gules three *Winges* elevated Argent, by the name of *Newport*.

Newport.

Gules three *Wings* pendant Or, by the name of *Baud*.

Baud.

CHAP.

CHAP. VI.

Treats of watry Animals, being such as have their abode, and relief only in the water, to wit Fishes of all sorts, which as they are of a less compleat nature then Earthy, or Aerial Animals, so are they of less esteem in Coat Armour.

As Birds have their Plumes, Wings & Trains for their cutting their passage through the Air; So are Fishes provided with Finns wherewith they guid themselves in their swimming, and cut the current of the streams and waves for their more easie passage wherein their course is directed by their Tayl, as Ships are conducted by their Helm, or Ruther.

Fishes are born after divers manners, viz. *directly upright, imbowed, extended, indorsed, respecting each other, surmounting one another. Fretted and Triangle,* &c. *All Fishes (saith* Leigh*) that are born feeding shall in Blazon be tearemd devouring,*

ing, and that whereon they feed must be expressed.

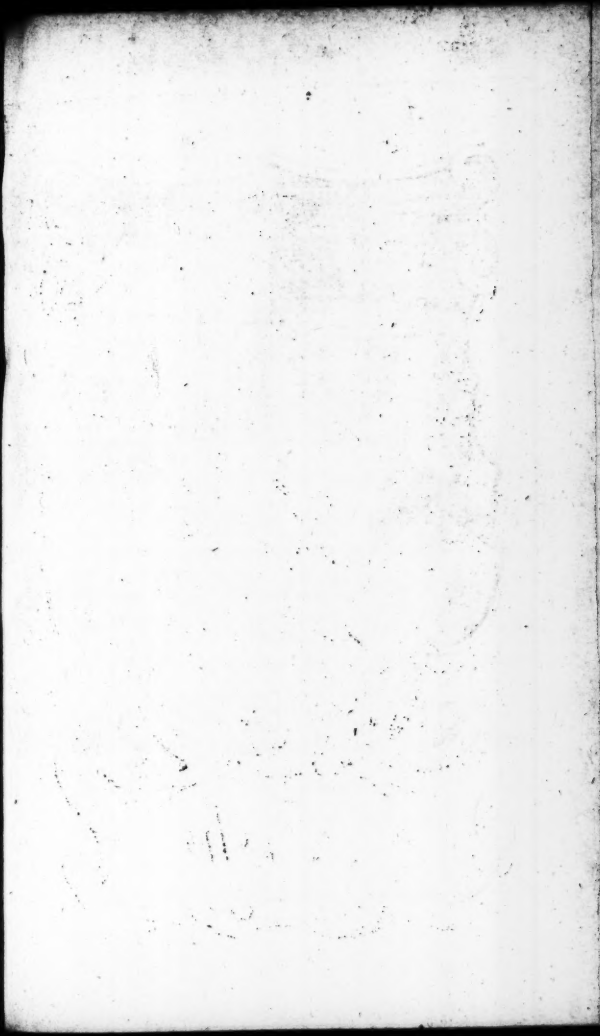
All Fishes raised directly upright, and having Finns must be termed in Blazon Hauriaunt, signifying to draw, or suck, because that Fish do oft times put their Heads above Water to refresh themselves with the cool Air, but especially when the Waters in the depth of the Seas do so rage, and as it were boyl against some Tempestuous Storm, that they cannot endure the unwonted heat thereof, All Fishes being born transverse, must be Blazoned Naiant, or Swiming, for in such sort do they bear themselves in the Water when they swim.

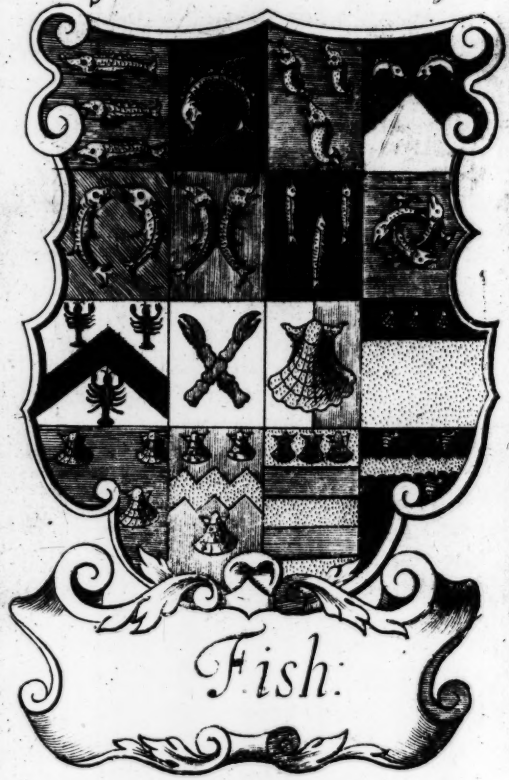
Of Fishes some have hard and crusty Coverings, others a more softer outside, and these latter are of two sorts, some having only Skin and others Scales.

Fishes are also born in pars, and on, or between, any of the Honourable Ordinaries.

Of these several kinds, these following Examples shall suffice.

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Fish.

Examples of

FISHES.

1. AZure three *Dolphins* Naiant extended in *Pale Barry* Or, by the name of *Dolphin*. The *Dolphin* is here in its natural form of ſwiming, and is ſaid to *Marſhal* their great Troops in admirable order; for in the *Vaunt-guard* ſwim all their young ones, in the middle the Females, and in the Rearward all the *Males*, like good *Husbands* that have a care to their *Wives* and *Children*. The *Dolphin* is a Fiſh of ſuch great *Strength*, and *Swiftneſs*, that in his purſuit of other *Fiſhes* for his prey (who make to the *Rocks*, or *Shoar* for *Shelter*) he oft receives danger. The *Naturaliſt* ſay that the She *Dolphin* hath *Dugs*, and gives ſuck to her young. That the *Dolphin* is a great lover of Muſick, and loveth the Company of men, but that *Dolphin.*

that I leave to the Opinion of the Reader.

2. Sable a *Dolphin* Naiant *Imbowed*, and devouring a Fish proper, by the name of *Symonds*. *Symonds.*

3. Azure, three *Dolphins hauriant* Or, born by Mr. *Peter Vandeput* of *London* Merchant. *Vandeput.*

4 Per *Cheveron* Sable and Argent, in chief two *Dolphins Naiant* respecting each other of the second born by *Ambrose Atfield* Dr. in Divinity; and Vicar of St. *Leonards Shordich* in *Middlesex*. *Atfield.*

5. *Vert*, two *Barbels hauriant* respecting each other Argent.

6. Gules, two *Pikes hauriant* endorsed Or.

7. Sable, three *Salmons hauriant* Argent, by the name of *Salmon*. *Salmon.*

8. Azure, three *Trouts* fretted in *Triangle teste ala queve* Argent, by the name of *Trowtheck*. *Trowtheck.*

9. Argent, a *Cheveron* Sable, between three *Crevices* upright Gules, these are not to be Blazoned *hauriant* as *Fishes* that have *Fins* but upright.

10. Argent, a *Lobsters Claw* in Bend sinister Saltire like, surmounted of another dexter ways Gules, by the name of *Tregarthick*. *Tregarthick.*

11.

11 Per *Pale* Argent and Gules an *Escallop* Shell Or, born by Sir *Humphry Wynch* of *Harleford* in Great *Marlow* in *Buckinghamshire*, and of *Hamnes* in *Bedfordshire* Baronet. *Wynch.*

12. Topaz, on an *Chief* Diamond, three *Escallop-shells* Pearl; born by the Right Honourable *Richard Grayham*, Viscount *Preston*, and Lord *Graham* of *Eske*, Embassadour for his Majesty King *Charles* the Second to the King of *France*, 1684. Lord *Preston.*

13. Azure, three *Escallops* Or, born by Sir *John Mallet* of St. *Andrews* in West *Quantox-head* in *Sommersetshire* Knight. *Mallet.*

14. Gules a *Fess dauncette* Or, between three *Escallops* Ermine, born by *Francis Dives* of *Bromham* in *Bedfordshire* Esquire, Son and Heir of Sir *Lewis Dive* of the said place Knight. *Dive.*

15. Or, two *Barrs* Azure, in *Chief*, three *Escallops* Gules, born by *Edward Clark* of *Chipley* in *Somersetshire* Esquire. *Clark.*

Sable a *Fess* engrailed between three *Welks* Or, born by Sir *John Shelly* of *Michelgrove* in *Sussex* Baronet. *Shelly.*

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Other Examples of Fiſhes.

Fores. Gules, a *Dolphin* hauriant Argent, by the name of *Fores.*

FitzJames Sable, a *Dolphin naiant imbowed* Argent by the name of *Fitz James.*

Viſacher. Gules a *Dolphin naiant* Sable by the name of *Viſacher.*

Hanner, *Vert*, two *Dolphins* indorſed Or, by the name of *Hanner.*

Darburg. Argent, three *Dolphins naiant* Sable, by the name of *Darburg.*

Pickton. Argent, three *Pikes* in *Pale* naiant Gules by the name of *Pickton.*

Dolphingley *Vert*, three *Dolphins naiant* in *Pale* Or, by the name of *Dolphingley.*

Conghurſt. Azure, three *Congers hauriant* Argent, by the name of *Conghurſt.*

Ellis. Argent, three *Eeles naiant* in *Pale Barrey* Sable, by the name of *Ellis.*

Geſſe. Argent, three *Dog-fiſhes* naiant in *Pale* Sable, by the name of *Geſſe.*

Sea. *Barry wavey* of ſix Or and Gules, three *Prawns naiant*, in the firſt of the ſecond by the name of *Sea*, or *At ſea.*

Argent, a *Cheveron engrailed* Sable, between

tween three *Sea Crabs* Gules, by the name of *Bridger*. *Bridger.*

Argent, an *Eſcallop* Gules, by the name of *Prelate*. *Prelate.*

Azure, an *Eſcallop* Or, by the name of *Bayton*. *Bayton.*

Gules, three *Eſcallops* Or, by the name of *Pale*. *Pale.*

Argent, three *Eſcallops* Gules by the name of *Barnaby*. *Barnaby.*

Argent, three *Eſcallops* Sable by the name of *Strickland*. *Strickland.*

Sable, three *Eſcallops* Or, *Walcot*. *Walcot.*

Azure, three *Eſccallops* Or, by the name of *Hartfield*. *Hartfield.*

Gules, three *Eſcallops* Or, by the name of *Palmer*. *Palmer.*

Or, three *Eſcallops* Gules, by the name of *Harbottle*. *Harbottle.*

Azure five *Eſcallops* 2, 2, 1 Argent, by the name of *Rowton*. *Rowton.*

Azure five *Eſcallops* 2, 2, 1, Or, by the name of *Shorevile*. *Shorevile.*

Azure five *Eſcallops* 2, 1, 2 Or, by the of *Rateſden*. *Rateſden.*

Azure five *Eſcallops* 1, 3, 1 Or, by the name of *Barker*. *Barker.*

Gules, ſix *Eſcallops* 3, 2, 1 Argent, by the name of *Scales*. *Scales.*

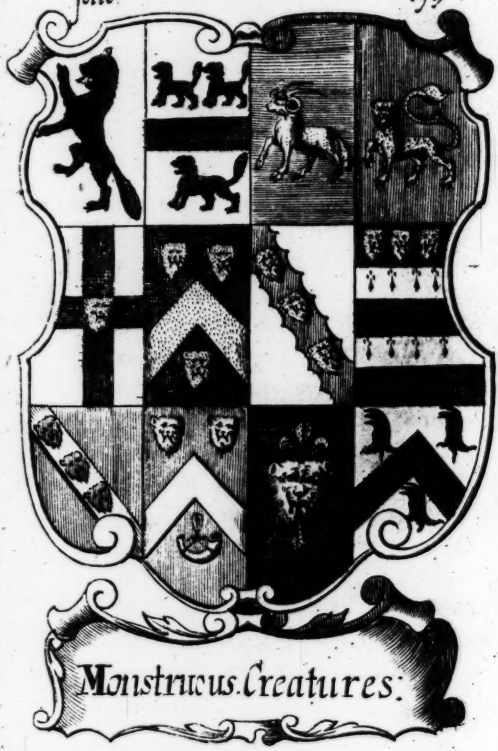
Escot. Sable six *Escallops* 3, 2, 1 Argent, by the name of *Escot*.

CHAP. VII.

Treats of Monstrous Animals *such as are exorbitant from the general course of Nature either for qualities or essence, and of these there are divers sorts, as Amphibia, that is such as live sometimes as if they were Water Creatures, and other times as if Land Creatures. And those of a more Prodigious Shape, being formed, or rather deformed with the confused Shapes of Creatures of different kinds and qualities, and such are* Monsters *which* St. Augustin *saith can't be rekoned amongst the good Creatures that God created before the fall of* Adam.

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Monstrucus Creatures.

Examples of

Monſtruous CREATURES.

1. ARGENT, a *Beaver erected* Sable, devouring a Fiſh, proper.

The *Beaver* hath his Tail only *Fiſh*, which he keeps for the moſt part in the Water, his hinder Leggs are like a Swan, and his foremoſt like a Dogg; ſo he ſwims with the one, whilſt he preyeth with the other.

2. Argent a *Feſs* between three *Otters* Sable, born by *Symon Lutterel* of *Lutterel* in the County of *Dublin* in *Ireland* Eſquire. It is reported that in *China* they train up up *Otters* as we do *Spaniels* which go into the Water and bring forth Fiſh at the command of their Maſters, which cuſtome hath been practiſed of late years by ſome in *England*. *Lutterel*

3. Azure, a *Muſimon* Argent.

This is a *Bigenerous* Beaſt of an unkindly procreation being engendred between a *Goat* and a *Ram*; like as *Tyterus* is between an *Ewe* and a *BuckGoat*.

4. Gules, a *Leopard paſſant* gardant, Or, ſpotted Sable.

The Shape of the *Leopard* denoteth his unkindly Birth, and to be degenerate from the *Lyon*, but more agreeable to the *Pardus* in his ſhape and ſpots; nor hath he the noble Courage of the *Lyon*, to whom he is a mortal Enemy, and oft times by his ſubtle, treacherous policy doth get him into a Snare.

Bridges 5. Argent, on a Croſs Sable a *Leopards face* Or, born by *George Rodeney Bridges* of *Keynſham* in *Somerſetſhire*, Eſquire. One of the Grooms of the Bedchamber to his Majeſty King *Charles* the Second.

6. Diamond, a *Cheveron* between three *Leopards heads* or *Faces* Topaz by the name of *Wentworth*.

Wentworth. This with a Garter is born by the Right Honourable *William* Earl of *Strafford*, Viſcount *Wentworth*, Baron of *Wentworth Woodhouſe*, *Newmarch*, *Oversley* and *Rabby*, Knight of the *Garter*, &c.

Earl of Strafford.

This Coat with a due difference is born by

by Sir *William Wentworth* of *Wakefield* Kt. By *Jo. Wentworth* of *North Empſal* Knight. By *Jo. Wentworth* of *Wolley* Eſquire, and by *John Wentworth* of *Elmſhel* Eſquire, all of the *Weſt Riding* of *Yorkſhire*.

Pearl, a *Cheveron* Ruby between three *Leopards Faces* Diamond, born by the Right Honourable *Francis* Viſcount *Newport* of *Bradford*, Baron *Newport* of *High Ercall*, Lord Leiutenant of *Shropſhire*, Treaſurer of his Majeſties Houſhold, and one of the Lords of his Majeſties moſt Honourable Privy Counſel, *&c.* Lord Viſcount *Newport.*

Or, a Cheveron between three *Leopards faces* Sable, born by Sir *Charles Wheeler* of *Burbury* in *Warwickſhire* Baronet, antiently of *Martin Huſſingſtre* in *Worceſterſhire.* *Wheeler.*

Vert, a *Cheveron* between three *Leopards faces* Or, born by Sir *Thomas Fitch* of *Eltham*, and *Mount Maſcal* in Kent Knight. *Stich.*

Sable, a *Cheveron* between three *Leopards faces* Argent, born by Mr. *Thomas Hawes* of *London* Merchant. *Hawes.*

7. Argent on a *Bend engrailed* Gules, three *Leopards faces* Or, born by *Nicholas Barbon* of *London* M. D. and one *Barbon.*

of the Colledge of *Phyſitians* of *London*.

8. Sable, two Barrs Ermin in *Chief* three *Leopards faces* Or, born by *Owen Feltham* of *Grais Inn* in *Middleſex* Eſquire.

Feltham.

9. Gules on a *Bend* Argent, three *Leopards faces* of the field, born by Collonel *Robert Werden* of *Cheſter*, *Comptroler* to the Houſhold of his *Royal Highneſs* James *Duke* of *York*, and firſt *Lieutenant* and *Major* of his Guards.

Werden.

Or, on a *Bend* Azure, three *Leopards faces* Argent, born by *Jo. Mingay* of *Ginninham* in *Norfolk* Eſquire.

Mingay.

10. Gules a *Cheveron* between two *Leopards faces* in Chief, a *Bugle horn* in Baſe Argent, born by Sir *Thomas Slingsby* of *Skriven* in the Weſt Riding of *Yorkſhire* Baronet.

Slingsby.

11. Sable a *Leopards head* Argent, *Jeſſant* a *Flower delis* Or, born by Sir *William Morley* of *Halnaker* in *Suſſex* Knight of the Bath.

Morley.

12. Argent a *Cheveron* between three *Seals feet* erected, and erazed Sable, Theſe Arms belongs to the Town of *Yarmouth* in *Norfolk*.

The





Monstrucus Creatures.

The *Milk* of the *Seal* is said to be very good against the falling Sickness.

Other Examples of

Monstruous CREATURES.

1. AZure, a *Griffon passant*, and a *Chief* Or, born by *George Evelyn* of *Godstone*, and *Ditton* in *Surrey* Esquire, And by *John Evelyn* of *Sayes Court* near *Deptford* in *Kent* Esquire. *Evelyn.*

2. Ermine, a *Griffon Segreant*, or Rampant Saphir, born by the Right Honorable *Francis* Lord *Aungier*, Earl, Viscount, and Baron of *Longford* in *Ireland*, and one of the *Lords* of his Mjesties most Honourable *Privy Councel* for that Kingdom, *&c.*

Sable, a *Griffon Segreant* Or *Rampant* Argent, born by *Edward Griffin* of *Dingley* in *Northamptonshire* Esquire, *Treasurer*

of the *Chamber* to his *Majesty* King *Charles* the Second, and *Leiutenant Collonel* of his *Majesties* own *Troop* of *Horse-Guards*.

Read. Corselis. Azure, a *Griffon Segreant* Or, by the name of *Read*. This Coat is also born by Mr. *James Corsellis* of *London* Merchant.

Meverell. Argent, a *Griffon Segreant* Or, born by *Owen Meverell* Doctor of Physick.

Coling. Azure, a *Griffon Segreant* Sable, born by *Richard Coling* of *Coreley* in *Shropshire* Esquire, principal *Secretary* to the Earl of *Arlington*, Lord *Chamberlain* of his Majesties houshold.

Hawkins. 3. Or, on a *Cheveron* between three *Cinquefoils* Azure, as many *Escolleps* Argent, on a cheif Gules, a *Griffon Passant* of the Third, born by *Richard Hawkins* of *Marsham* in *Berkshire* Esquire.

Williams. 4. Argent, a *Dragons head erazed* Vert, *holding* in his mouth a *sinister hand couped* at the wrist Gules, born by Sir *John Williams* of *Mustow house* in *Fulham* in *Middlesex* Knight, Son and Heir of Sir *Thomas Williams* of *Eltham Court* in *Kent* Knight and Baronet.

Dashwood. 5. Argent, on a *Fess* between a *double Cottize* Gules, three *Griffons heads* erazed Or, born by Sir *Robert Dashwood* of *Norbrook*, and *Wickham* in *Oxfordshire* Knight.

6. Sable

6. Sable, a *Cheveron* between three *Griffons* heads erazed Argent, born by Sir *John Corven* of *Lanwade* of *Cambridgſhire* Baronet. *Corven.*

7. Argent, a *Wivern* his *Wings* diſplayed, and Tail nowed Gules, by the name of *Drakes.* *Drakes.*

Like as the *Griffin* doth pertake of a *Fowl*, to wit an *Eagle* in the fore-part and a *Lion* in the hinder, ſo doth the *Wivern* in the fore-part the Wings and Legs of a *Fowl*, and of an *Adder*, *Snake*, or *Serpent* in the *Tail.*

8. Sable, a *Cockatrice* diſplayed Argent, *Creſted*, *Membred*, and *Jolloped* Gules.

The *Cockatrice* is of that peſtiferous, and poyſonous quality that he is termed the King of *Serpents.*

9. Azure, a *Harpey* with her Wings diſcloſed, and her Hair flotant Or, This Coat ſtands in the Church at *Huntington.*

10. Argent, a *Mearemaid* Gules, crined Or, holding in her right hand a *Mirror*, and in her left a *Comb*, by the name of *Ellis.* *Ellis.*

11. Or, a *Dragon* Paſſant Vert.

12. Argent, a *Reremouſe* or *Bat* diſplayed

Bakster. played Sable, by the name of *Bakster.*

The *Reremouſe* doth pertake both with the *Beaſt* and *Bird*, ſo that it can't be well ſaid to which it doth belong; for by her *Wings* and *Flying* ſhe ſhould be a *Bird*, and by her body a kind of a *Mouſe*. She bringeth forth her young, and ſuckleth them with her *Paps* which *Birds* do not.

Under this head cometh *Montegres*, *Satyres*, *Monk-fiſhes*, as alſo *Lion-dragons*, *Lions-poiſons*, and all other double ſhaped *Animals*.

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CHAP. VIII.

Having in theſe foregoing Chapters *treated of the whole Body of* Heraldry, *with* Rules *and* Examples *ſufficient to blazon any* Coat Armour; *my next buſineſs ſhall be to lay down ſome few* Rules *for the* Marſhalling *and* Impaling *of Coats in one Shield.*

Marſhaling of Coats.

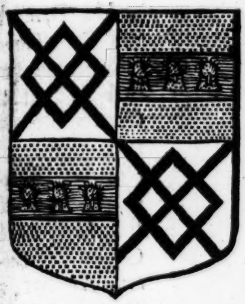
BY *Marſhalling* of *Coats* is to be underſtood an orderly diſpoſing of ſundry *Coat Armours* pertaining to diſtinct Families, and of their contingent *Ornaments* with their *Parts* and *Appurtenances* in their proper places. And of theſe ſome have their place within the *Eſcocheon*, and ſome without: of thoſe within ſome have their occaſions obſcure, and others manifeſt, as are thoſe whoſe *Marſhalling* (according

ing to ancient and preſcript forms) do apparently betoken *Marriage*, or ſome gift of the *Soveraign*. Such as betoken *Marriage* do repreſent either a *Match* ſingle, or *Hereditary*: By a ſingle *Match*, is meant the conjoyning the *Coat Armour* of the *Man* with the *Woman* which is *Impaled* on the ſiniſter ſide of the Mans; but if ſhe be an *Heireſs* then her *Coat* is to be born in an *Eſcocheon* of *Pretence* in the midſt of his *Shield*, and over the *Charge*, if there charged.

It is alſo accuſtomary for *Biſhops* to *Impale* on the dexter ſide of their *Coats*, the *Coat* belonging to their *Epiſcopal See*.

And if a *Man* hath had more than one Wife, the way of Bearing them is to *Impale* them betwixt his own, which is to be in the middle part of the *Shield*, Examples of all which ſhall be given for the Readers better inſtructions therein.

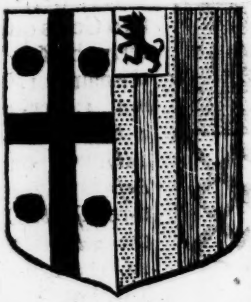
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He Beareth, two Coats quarterly both by the name of *Vernon*, 1. Argent, a *Frett* Sable, 2*dly*. Or on a *Fesse* Azure, three *Garbs* Or, the 3*d*. as the 2*d*. the 4*th*. as first. These *Coats* thus Marshalled are born by *George Vernon* of *Sudbury* in *Derbyshire*, and of *Haslington* in *Cheshire* Esquire, descended of the *Vernons* who were anciently *Barons* of *Shibbrook* in the said County of *Chester*. *Vernon.*

After this manner are a greater number of *Quarterings* born, as will appear by the Examples given in the Second Part.

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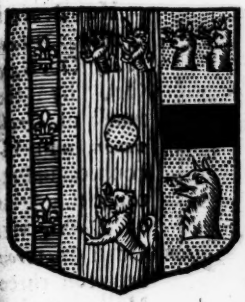


Clayton.

He Beareth Per Pale *Barry* and *Femme*, the firſt Argent, a *Croſs* Sable, by the name of *Clayton*, the ſecond *Paly* of ſix Or, and Gules, on a *Canton* Argent, a *Bear* rampant Sable, by the name of *Trot*.

☞ Theſe *Coats* are thus born by Sir *Robert Clayton* of *Marden* in *Surry*, and of the City of *London* Knight and *Alderman*, Lord *Mayor* thereof *Anno* 1680, who is now Married to *Martha* Eldeſt Daughter of *Perient Trot* of *London* Merchant.

He



He Beareth Baron, Impaled between his two *Wives*, first in the midst Ruby a Bezant between three Demy Lions Rampant Pearl by the name of *Bennet*. Lord *Ofwestre*.

2*dly*. On the *dexter* side Topaz on a *Pallet* Saphir, three *Flower de lis* of the Field, being the Coat of *Elizabeth* Countess of *Mulgrave*, and Daughter to the Earl of *Middlesex* first Wife to the bearer hereof.

3*dly*. On the sinister side Topaz, a *Fess* between three *Wolves heads* couped Diamond, born by *Bridget How* of the Family of Sir *Grubham How* present Wife to the bearer hereof the Right Honourable Sir *John Bennet* Knight of the Bath, and Baron *Bennet* of *Ofwestre* in *Middlesex*.

He



He Beareth Azure, a *Wheat Sheaf* Or *Garb* Or, by the name of *Groſvenor*, in an Eſcocheon of Pretence the Arms of *Davies* viz. Or a *Cheveron* between three Mullets pierced Sable; this with the Arms of *Ulſter* is the Bearing of Sir *Thomas Groſvenor* of *Eaton* in *Cheſhire* Baronet, now Married to *Mary* ſole Daughter and Heir to *Alexander Davies* of the *Mill-Bank* in the Pariſh of Saint *Margarets Weſtminſter* in *Middleſex* Eſquire.

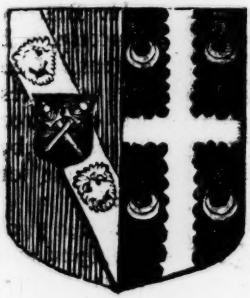
He



He Beareth quarterly, firſt Argent, a *Lion* rampant Gules between three *Pheons* Sable, by the name of *Egerton*. *Egerton.*]

2. Barry of ſix Argent, and Azure, in Cheif three *Torteauxes*, a *File* Ermine, by the name of *Grey*.

3. Sable, on a Bend between two *Cottizes* Argent, a *Roſe* Gules between two *Amulets* of the Field, by the name of *Conway*. the *4th*. as the firſt on an *Eſcocheon* of *Pretence*, Gules, two Helmets in chief Argent, and a *Wheat Sheaf* in baſe Or, by the name of *Cholmeley*. Theſe Coats are thus born by *John Egerton* of *Broxton* in *Cheſhire* Eſquire, eldeſt Son of Sir *Philip Egerton* of *Egerton*, and *Outon* in the ſaid County Knight, which *John* is now Married to the Daughter and Co-heir of *Tho. Cholmeley* or *Cholmondley* of *Vale Royal* in *Cheſhire* Eſquire.



Werden.

He Beareth Gules, on a *Bend* Argent, three *Leopards* heads, Or, faces of the Field by the name of *Werden*, Impaled with *Sable*, a *Croſs engrailed* between four *Creſcents* Argent, in right of *Jane* Daughter of *Edward Barnham* of *Cockhall* in *Kent* Eſq; firſt Wife to the bearer hereof; and in an *Eſcocheon* of Pretence Sable, two Swords Saltierwiſe with their points downwards Argent, Pomeled and Hilted *Or*, by the name of *Towſe*, in right of *Margaret* Daughter and Heir of *William Towſe* of *Baſingborn-hall* in *Eſſex* Eſquire, preſent Wife to the bearer hereof Collonel *Robert Werden* of *Cheſter*, *Comptroller* of the houſe of his Royal *Highneſs James* Duke of *York*, and firſt *Leiutenant*, and *Major* of his *Guards*.

This Example ſheweth how a *Man* ſhould Bear the *Arms* of his *Wives* the one

one being an *Heireſs*, and the other not. The other *Examples* ſhew how the *Coats* of the *Wives* are to be born.

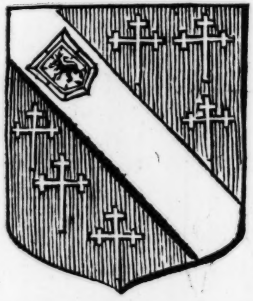
Having given examples of the *Marſhalling* of *Quarterings*, *Impalings*, and *Eſcocheons* of *Pretence* for *Wives*. In the next place I ſhall treat of *Augmentations* of honour beſtowed on the *Bearer* by his Sovereign for Favour or Merit, and of theſe ſome are *Impaled* with their *Paternal Coats*, and others born only on a *Canton*, *Quarter*, or *Chief*.



Seymour.

The Lady *Jane Seymour*, afterwards Wife to King *Henry* the 8*th*. Mother to the moſt noble Prince *Edward* the Sixth, received as an Augmentation of honour to her Family by the gift of her ſaid Husband theſe *Arms* born on the dexter ſide of of the *Eſcocheon*, viz *Sol*, on a *Pile Mars*, between ſix *Flower de lis*, *Jupiter*, three

Lions Paſſant Gardant of the firſt, *Impaled* with her Paternal Coat, viz. *Mars* two *Wings Pale ways* inverted, Or two *Wings* in *Lure Sol*. This Coat is now born by the Right Noble *Charles Seymour*, Duke of *Somerſet*, Marqueſs and Earl of *Hertford*, Viſcount *Beauchamp*, *Baron Seymour*, and Knight of the moſt noble Order of the Garter.



Ruby, on a *Bend* between ſix *Croſs Croſlets Fitchee* Pearl, an *Eſcocheon* Topaz, thereon a *Demy Lion* peirced through the mouth with an *Arrow*, within a double Treaſure counter-floured of the firſt: and is the Paternal Coat of the Right Noble and ancient Family of the *Howards*, which now flouriſheth in the perſons of his Grace *Henry* Duke of *Norfolk*, Earl of *Arundel*, *Surrey*, *Norfolk*, and *Norwich*, Baron *Howard*, *Fitz-Allen*, *Mairavers*, *Maw-*

Duke of *Norfolk*.

Mawbrey, *Segrave*, *Bruce*, *Clun*, *Oſwaldſtre*, and *Caſtle-Riſing*, Earl *Marſhal* of *England*, *Conſtable* of *Windſor Caſtle*, &c.

The Right Honourable *James* Earl of *Suffolk*, Baron *Howard* of *Walden*. Earl of *Suffolk*.

The Right Honourable *Thomas* Earl of *Berkſhire*, Viſcount *Andover*, and Baron *Howard* of *Charlton*. Earl of *Berk-ſhire*.

The Right Honourable *Charles* Earl of *Carliſle*, Viſcount *Howard* of *Morpeth*, Baron *Dacres* of *Giſland*, Lord Leiutenant of the Counties of *Cumberland* and *Weſtmoreland*, *Vice-Admiral* of the *Coaſts of Northumberland*, *Cumberland*, *Weſtmoreland*, *Durham*, and Maritine parts adjacent. Earl of *Carliſle*.

The Right Honourable *William Howard* Viſcount aud Baron *Stafford*, *Anno* 1680. Lord *Stafford*.

The Right Honourable *William* Lord *Howard*, Baron of *Eſcrick*. Lord *Howard*.

The Honourable *Charles Howard* of *Graſtock* in *Cumberland* Eſquire, brother to his Grace *Henry* late Duke of *Norfolk*. *Charles Howard* Eſq;

The Honourable Sir *Robert Howard* of *Vaſtern* in *Wiltſhire* Knight, Brother to the Right Honourable *Thomas* Earl of *Berkſhir. e* Sir *Robert Howard*.

And the Honourable Sir *Philip Howard* Knight, Captain of the *Queens Troop* of his Sir *Phillip Howard*.

his *Majeſties Guards*, and Brother to the Right Honourable *Charles* Earl of *Carliſle*. And from theſe and their *Anceſtors* Loins, have iſſued forth divers worthy Gentlemen as Stems to ſupport the Dignity of the ſaid Family.

The ſaid *Augmentation* on the *Bend* was Granted unto the Right noble *Thomas* Duke of *Norfolk*, and his deſcendants by King *Henry* the eigth, for his ſignal Service as General of the Army which gave that remarkable overthrow at *Floding* to King *James* the forth of *Scotland*; which ſaid *Duke* was by King *Henry* the *Seventh* created Knight of the *Garter*, and made Lord *High Treaſurer of England*.

To all the Arms of all *Baronets* King *James* granted according to the firſt Inſtitution of that degree as an Augmentation of honour to them and their deſcendants the Arms of *Ulſter*, viz. a ſiniſter *Hand* couped at the Wriſt Gules, to be born in a *Canton* or *Eſcocheon* Argent, which ſaid *Augmentation* is placed in the moſt convenienteſt place of the Shield.

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The *Field* is Topaz, two *Bars* Saphir, a cheif *quarterly Jupiter* and *Mars* on the first two *Flower de lis Sol*, on the second a *Lion Passant Gardant* of the last; the third as the second, the fourth as the first. This Coat belongs to the Right Honourable *John Mannors*, Earl of *Rutland*, Baron *Ross* of *Hamlake*, *Trusbut*, and *Belvoyr*, which was given in *Augmentation* to this Family, being descended of the Blood Royal from King *Edward* the *Fourth*. Earl of *Rutland*.

CHAP. IX.

In the former Chapters *have been treated of ſuch things in* Coat Armour *as are within the* Shield *or* Eſcocheon; *I ſhall now treat of thoſe external Ornaments without the* Eſcocheon, *viz.* Helmets, Torces, *or* Wreaths, Caps, Crowns, Creſts, Mantlings, *and* Eſcroles: *and to Noble Men* Supporters; *of all which in order.*

Helmet. THE *Helmet* is placed next above the *Eſcocheon* or *Shield* to all under the degree of a *Noble Man*, And to the Nobility there is a *Crown*, and the *Helmet* iſſuing out of the ſaid *Crown*.

The *Helmet* doth diſtinguiſh the dignity of the *Bearer*, for to a *Gentleman* and an

an *Esquire* the *Helmet* is placed sideways with the *Bever* close.

To a *Knight*, or *Baronet* (which is all one) the *Helmet* is placed foreright with the *Bever* open. The full faced *Helmet* doth signifie direction and command, the close attention and obedience. Knights *Helmet.*

The open *Helmet* placed sideways with Bars doth belong to all *Nobles* under the *Degree* of his Majesty, and Sovereign *Dukes*, or those of the *Blood Royal.*

To *Kings*, *Sovereign Princes* and *Dukes* of the Royal Blood the *Helmet* is placed foreright with open *Bars*; all which will appear in the second Part of this *Book* in the *Chapters* relating to that *Degree* they are of; as will the *Crowns* or *Coronets* by which each *Degree* of the *Nobility* are *distinguished.* Kings *Helmet.*

Coronets.

The *Barons Coronet* is with six *Pearls* of an equal height, and distance one from the other. Barons *Coronet.*

The *Viscounts Coronet* is composed only of *Pearls* close set together and of an equal height without *Flowers* or *Points.* Viscounts *Coronet.*

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Earls Coronet. An *Earls Coronet* is composed of *Points* and *Flowers*, but the *Points* are *Spiry* with *Pearls* on the top above the *Flowers*.

Marquess. Coronet. The *Coronet* of a *Marquis* is of *Leaves*, and *Points*, with the *Leaves* and *Flowers* above the *Points*.

Dukes Coronet. The *Coronet* of a *Duke* is only *Floral*.

Princes Coronet. The *Coronet* of a *Prince* is the same with the Crown of a King, only the *Arches*, *Mound*, and *Cross* are wanting.

The Crown of a King is as a Dukes, but with *Arches*, *Mound*, and *Crosses*.

To a *Bishop* instead of a *Coronet* doth belong a *Miter*.

Torce or Wreath. Next above the *Helmet* is the *Wreath* or *Torce* which is of the principal *Metal* and *Colour* in the *Bearers Paternal Coat*, this the Crest stands upon: besides which it oft times stands upon a *Mount*, *Hill*, *Chapeau*, Or *Coronet*.

Crests. *Crests* are various each Family having one appropriate to themselves. About the *Shield* reaching from the top of the *Helmet* to the bottom of the *Shield* is

Mantle. the *Mantle* which is to cover or wrap about the same. And these *Mantlings* are of a different shape, and composure, and at the will of the *Bearer* to be altered at pleasure, those commonly made use of

are

are the *Cloak Mantles* (antiently uſed) and the *Folding Mantles*.

On each ſide of the *Shield* are placed Supporters for *Noble Men*. *Supporters.*

The *Eſcrole* is at the bottom of the *Shield* in which is placed the *Motto* Or *Device* of the *Bearer* which is according to his Fancy, and may be altered at pleaſure, but moſt commonly it alludes to the *Coat*, *Creſt*, *Name*, or Imploy. And on the *Eſcrole* ſtands the *Supporters*.

The End of the Firſt Part.

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HONOUR CIVIL

ACCORDING TO THE LAWS of ENGLAND.

With *Examples* of the *Atchivements* of each *Degree* of *Honour*: And for the better explanation thereof one *Example* of each *Degree* is *Blazoned*: Which method is to be observed to all others.

The Second Part.

CHAP. X.

As in Mans Body *for the preservation of the whole, divers Functions and Offices of Members are required, even so in all*

all well governed Kingdomes *a diſtinction of perſons is neceſſary, and the policy of* England *is ſuch to have made a threefold diviſion of perſons, firſt the* King, *under which name a Soveraign Queen is compriſed, Secondly the* Nobles, *viz. the* Prince, Dukes, Marqueſſes, Earls, Viſcounts, *and* Lords Spiritual *and* Temporal, *and Thirdly the* Commons *which comprehends* Baronets, Knights, Eſquires, *and* Gentlemen, *&c.* *Degrees of Honour.*

Our *Laws* contrary to other *Countreys* calls Noble under the degree of a *Lord*, and the *Nobility* are *Peers* of the Realm, and do ſit together in the *Kings* great *Councel* of Parliament with his Majeſty, and the word *Nobility* or *Noble* ſignifies to expreſs men of generoſity of *blood* and *degree*, as alſo the Reward of Vertue, but a word or two of each Degree in particular, and firſt of the King the Fountain from whom all *Rivulets* and ſwelling Streams of Honour ſpring

Of the King or Monarch of Great Brittain.

Monarchy is as ancient as Man, *Adam* being created Soveraign Lord of the Univerſe, whoſe Office was to govern the World, and all Creatures therein, his Poſterity

ſterity divided into *Tribes*, and *Generations* acknowledged no other dominion then Paternity and Elderſhip, till men and vice multiplying, pride and violence adumbrated filial Piety, and obedience, the powerful oppreſſing the feble, which neceſſitated the introduction of a Politick Government, and put an end to the good old Age; the moſt valiant Stems, or Nations electing to themſelves *Kings* to command them in peace, and to lead them forth to battle, which the *Greeks* call *Monarchies*; others became governed under a ſelect number of Majeſtrates which is called *Ariſtocracy*, and others were ſo unfortunate as to fall under the yoke of *Democracy*.

The Iſland of *Great Brittain ab Origine* owned a Regal Power as *Caſars Commentaries*, and all our Chronicles ſets forth.

The *Brittains* were at firſt divided into many Kingdoms which afterwards were contracted into two *Monarchies*, *viz.* the *Engliſh* and the *Scots*, and in the end united into one, and the ancient name of *Great Brittain* reſtored in *King James* as the right Heir and Deſcendant of the *Brittiſh*, *Saxon*, *Daniſh*, *Norman*, and *Scottiſh Kings*, from whom it deſcended to our immediate Soveraign King *Charles*

Charles the Second, in whose Veins all those Soveraign Streams of Royal Blood are conjoined to Unite those jarring Nations into one Body under a Head unto which each one may justly claim an interest.

The King is Gods *Vice-Gerent*, and ought to be obeyed; if good he is a blessing, if bad a judgment, against whom we are to use no other Weapons but *Prayers* and *Tears* for his amendment, he is stiled *Pater Patriæ* and because the protection of his Subjects belongs to his care, the *Militia* is annexed to his Crown that the *Sword* and *Scepter* may be both in his hand.

It is the manner for Kings to Write in the Plural number, which is Gods own stile, *Mandamus*, *Volumus*, &c. And the Scripture calls them *Gods*, in which sence they may be stiled *Divi*, or *Dij*, *quia Vicarij*, *& Dei voce indicat*: And our *Lawyers* say, *Rex est persona mixta cum sacerdote*, which denotes his Power in *Causes Ecclesiastical*.

The *Ceremonies* at the Coronation are many, and more solemn with us, then in many other Countries, as the anointing with *Oyl*, an *Imperial Crown* set on his head (which

(which is always done by the *Arch-Biſhop* of *Canterbury*, as a Prerogative belonging to that *See*) A *Scepter* the ancient Enſign of Regality is put into his hand to ſignifie Juſtice, a *Ring* is put on his Finger to denote Faithfulneſs; a *Sword* for Vengeance, and a *Mound* that is a *Globe* Creſted with a Croſs put in his right hand, the *Globe* denoting his Dominions by *Sea* and *Land*, and the Croſs his Faith.

The Kings office. The Office of the King of *England* according to *Forteſcue* is to fight the Battles of his People, and to do them Right and *Juſtice*. To enable him to perform this weighty office certain *Powers* and *Priviledges* are allowed him by the Law of the Land, amongſt which he hath the power of the *Militia* both by *Land* and *Sea*, of making Peace and War, he hath all ſtrong holds as *Caſtles*, *Forts* and the like; he hath the power of *calling*, *adjourning*, *proroging*, and *diſſolving Parliaments* at pleaſure; alſo the encreaſing the number of the Members of both *Houſes* by creating new *Peers*, or beſtowing new Priviledges to *Boroughs*, to elect and ſend *Burgeſſes* by his Writ to *Parliament*.

The *Bills* that paſs both Houſes receive the name of *Laws* from his breath, and are

are annihilated if he lays them by without giving a reaſon for it. He hath the ſole nomination of all *Commanders* and *Offices* both *Military*, *Civil*, and *Eccleſiaſtical*, the power of conferring Honours, diſpencing with *Penal Statutes*, the pardoning of *Crimnals*, the Coyning of *Money*, the erecting and making *Cities*, *Univerſities*, *Colledges* *Hoſpitals*, *Fairs*, *Markets*, *Forreſts*, *Chaſes*, &c. The Enfranchiſing of *Aliens*, the granting of Letters of *Mart*: he hath the regulation of *Weights*, and *Meaſures*, and the ſetting of prizes on *Proviſions* within the *Verge* of his *Court*, which is twelve Miles round, which ſaid office is executed by his *Clerk* of the *Markets* for the ſaid *Verge*; he hath alſo the power to take *Carts*, *Wagons*, or *Boats* for the carrying his Goods from one *Palace* to another paying the Rates allowed by the *Statute*.

And for declaring his Royal pleaſure he iſſueth forth his *Proclamations* which ought to be ſtrictly obeyed by all his *Subjects*.

Debts due to the King are firſt to be ſatisfied, and all *Receivers* of his *Money* and *Revennes*, their *Perſons*, *Lands*, *Goods*, *Heirs*, *Executors* &c. are at all times

chargeable for the ſame, for *Nullum tempus occurit Regi.*

In doubtful caſes no Statute reſtrains the King unleſs he be eſpecially named therein, no *Eſtoppel* can bind him, no *Judgment* final in a *Writ* of Right *Judgments* entred againſt him are with *Salvo jure domini Regis.*

The King hath the Cuſtody of all *Idiots* and *Lunaticks*; to him belongs all Eſtates for want of Heirs, by *Forfeitures*, *Eſcheats*, &c.

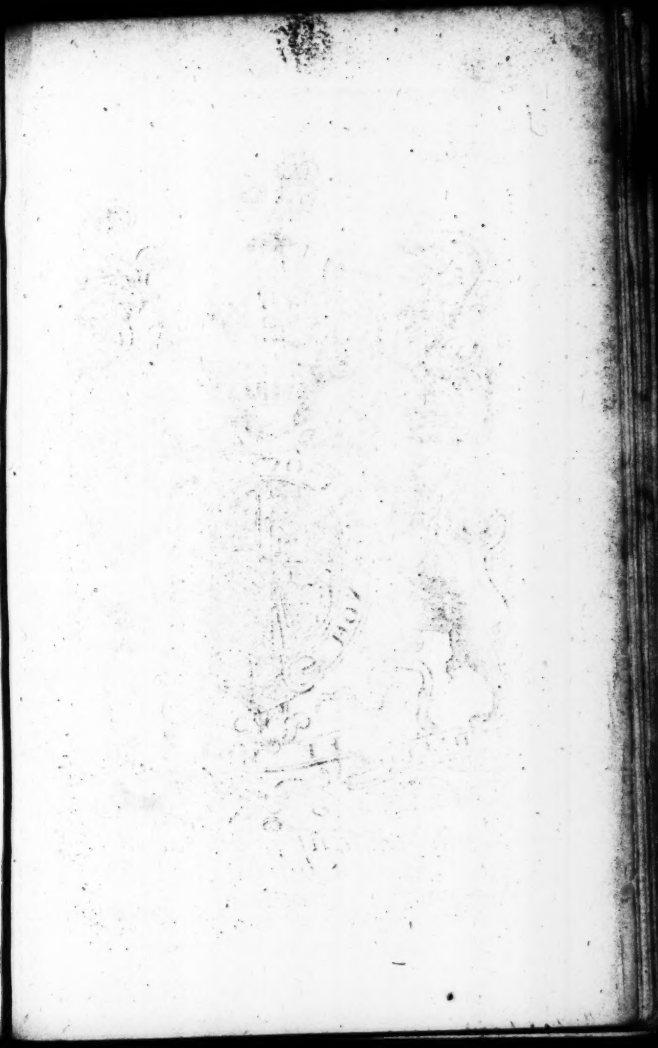
All *Treaſure*, *Trove*, all *Waifs*, *Eſtrais*, *Wrecks*, at Sea and the like not granted from the Crown belongs to him, the like doth all waſte *Lands*, *Gold*, and *Silver Mines*, the Royalties of *Hawking*, *Hunting*, *Fiſhing*, and *Fowling.*

In the Church his *Prerogative* Power is very great, he can call *National Synods* for the making of *Canons* for the introducing of Ceremonies into the Church to reform *Hereſies*, *Schiſm* and the like.

He hath the Patronage of all *Biſhopricks* and the making of all *Biſhops.*

Theſe with many other are the Prerogatives that belongs to the Crown of *England.*

The





Atchivement of his Sacred Ma.tie
King Charles the 2.d &c.a

The ATCHIEVEMENT *of the* KING.

THe *Royal Atchievement*, or *Armorial Enſign of Honour* belonging to His *Majeſty* is as followeth, Quarterly quartered firſt *Jupiter* three *Flowers de lis Sol*, quartered with *Mars* three *Lions paſſant Gardant* in *pale Sol*. 2dly, *Sol* within a *double Treſſure counter flowred* a *Lion Rampant Mars*. 3dly, *Jupiter* an *Iriſh harp Sol*, ſtringed *Luna*, the fourth and laſt quarter in all points as the firſt, all within the *Royal Garter*, on a *Helmet* adorned with an Imperial *Crown*, a *Lion paſſant Gardant* crowned *Sol*, mantled with *Cloth of Gold*, lined Ermine, *ſupported* on the dexter ſide with a *Lion Gardant* crowned *Sol*, and on the ſiniſter with an *Unicorn Luna*, thereto a *Chain* reflexed over his back, and armed *Sol*, and in a Compartment below this Motto *DIEV ET MON DROIT*.

Of the PRINCE.

THe Kings eldeſt Son (who is Heir apparent from the day of his Birth) is entituled Prince, from the Latin word *quaſi principalis poſt Regem.*

See *Guillim* Second part Chapter 3.

The firſt that is read of in *England* was *Edward* eldeſt Son to King *Henry* the Third, ſince which time the eldeſt Son of the King hath been by Patent, and other Ceremonies Created *Prince* of *Wales*, Earl of *Cheſter*, and *Flint*, &c.

Prince of *Wales.*

King *Edward* the Third added the Dukedome of *Cornwal* with the ſaid Principality, and made the Black Prince his Son Prince of *Aquitane*, and ſince the Union of *Scotland* his Title hath been *Princeps Mag. Britannia*, but ordinarily Prince of *Wales*. As eldeſt Son to the King of *Scotland* he is Duke of *Rothſay*, and *Seneſchal* of *Scotland* from his birth, and ſo long as *Normandy* remained in the Kings poſſeſſion he was ſtiled Duke of *Province*.

At his Creation he is preſented before the King in *Princely Robes*, who puts a *Co-*

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ronet on his head, a *Ring* on his middle *Finger*, and a Verge of Gold into his hand, as alſo his *Letters Patents* after they are read.

The *Mantle* that he wears in *Parliament* is once more doubled upon the Shoulder then a *Dukes*, his *Cap* of State indented, his *Coronet* formerly of *Croſſes* and *Flower de lis*, but hath now an *Arch* added, with a *Ball* and *Croſs* in the midſt on the *Summit*, by order of his preſent Majeſty King *Charles* the Second. And the *Coronet* with *Croſſes* and *Flower de lis* was then allowed to his *Royal Highneſs James* Duke of *York*; and all immediate Sons and Brothers of the Kings of *England*, but their Sons although they hold the Titles of Dukes are to uſe the *Coronet* of Leaves only as other *Dukes* do.

The Prince is a diſtinct Perſon from the King, he is a Subject, and holds his Principalities of the King, and is ſubject to the Law, in token of which ſubjection he uſeth this Poſie *ICH DIEV* an old *Saxon* word which ſignifies *I Serve*, which is placed about a *Flower de lis*.

DUKES.

A Duke is called *Dux a ducendo* from being a *General* or *Leader* of an Army, but of late days this dignity is given by the King to men of Blood and Merit by *Patent*. And the first English *Duke* was *Edward* the *Black Prince* who was created Duke of *Cornwal* by his Father *Edward* the *Third*.

Chapron. Their *Chapron*, or head *attire* is of *Scarlet* doubled Ermine; their *Coronet* made of *Strawberry Leaves*, his Mantle guarded with four Guards, he holds a Verge of Gold in his hand, and at his Creation hath his *Sword* put over his Shoulders, or guided to him which Viscounts, and *Barons* have not.

Dukes Priviledges. He may in all places out of the *Kings* or *Princes* presence erect his Cloth of *Estate* hanging down within half a yard of the Ground; his *Dutchess* may have her Train born up by a *Baroness*, and no *Earl* without his permission is to wash with him.

By Curtesie all *Dukes* eldest Sons are stiled



Atchivement of his Grace Chris-
=topher Duke of Alvemarle &c.ª

ſtiled *Marquiſſes* and the younger *Lords*, and take place of *Viſcounts*; he hath that Title of *Grace*, and is ſtiled moſt potent, and noble *Prince*.

Dukes of the *Blood Royal* are ſtiled, moſt High, Mighty, and Illuſtrious *Princes*.

The Kings younger Sons are ſtiled Princes by Birth, but have their Titles of *Dukes*, *Marquiſſes*, &c. from Creation.

The *Daughters* are ſtiled *Princeſſes*, and the Title of *Royal Highneſs* is due to them all both *Sons* and *Daughters*.

I ſhall give you for example of the Bearing of a *Duke* the *Atchievement* of his Grace *Chriſtopher* Duke of *Albemarle*. Atchievement of the Duke of *Albemarle*.

The Right Noble *Chriſtopher* Duke of *Albemarle*, Earl of *Torrington*, Baron *Monk* of *Potheridge*, *Beauchamp*, and *Teys* Knight of the moſt noble Order of the *Garter*, Lord Leiutenant of *Eſſex* and *Devonſhire*, Captain of his *Majeſties Life Guards* and *Guards* of *Horſe*, one of the *Gentlemen* of his *Bed-chamber*, and one of the *Lords* of his moſt Honourable *Privy Councel*, &c. Beareth within a Garter, Ruby a *Cheveron* between three *Lions heads erazed* Pearl, Enſigned with a *Coronet*, and *Helmet* be-

fitting his Graces quality, thereon on a Cheapeau Ruby, lined *Ermine* a *Cat-a-Moun-ain* passant per Pale *Diamond* and *Pearl* between two *Palm* branches proper; mantled Ruby, double *Ermine*; supported on the dexter side by a Lion, and on the siniſter by a *Griffon* both Pearl, and holding on their *Shoulders* a *Palm Branch* proper; and for his *Motto* in a Serole *FORTIER : FIDELITER FOELICITER.*

MARQUISSES.

A *Marquiſs* according to the *Saxon* word *Markenreve* ſignifies a Governour of the *Marches*; he hath the next place of Honour to a *Duke*; he is Created by girding on a *Sword*, by puting on his *Head* a *Chaplet* of Gold, and delivering into his hand a *Patent* under the great Seal for the ſaid Dignity, his *Coronet* is partly *Flowred*, and partly *Pyramidal*, his *Mantle* and *Cheapeau* is *Crimſon* or *Scarlet*, doubled Ermine, with three *guards* and a half on the *Shoulders*; his Title is moſt Noble and Honourable *Prince*. In the



Atchivement of the most Hon.ble
George Marquess of Halifax &c.a

the abſence of the *King*, or a *Duke* he may have his Clothof Eſtate reaching within a yard of the Ground; and his *Marquineſs* may have her Train born by a Knights Lady in her own Houſe, but not in the preſence of a *Dutcheſs*. His eldeſt Son hath the Title of Earl, and his younger Sons are *Lords* Alſo his eldeſt Daughter is a *Counteſs*, and his younger *Ladies* by curteſie.

For the example of the Bearing of a *Marquiſs* I ſhall incert that of the moſt Honourable *George Savil*, Baron of *Eland*, Viſcount, Earl and Marquiſs of *Hallifax*, Lord *Privy Seal*, and one of the Lords of his Majeſties moſt Honourable *Privy Councel*, &c. who Beareth for his paternal Coat Armour Pearl, on a Bend *Diamond* three *Owls* of the Field. Mantled Ruby, doubled Ermine, and for his Creſt on a *Coronet* and *Helmet* befiting his Lordſhips Degree, on a *Wreath* or *Torce* of his Colours, an *Owl* Pearl, ſupported by two *Talbots* Pearl, gorged about the Necks with *Ducal Crowns* per Pale Pearl and Ruby. And for his Motto in an Eſcrole *BE FAST*. Marquiſs of *Hallifax*.

EARLS

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See *Guillim* Second Part Chapt. 6.

THe word Earl by the *Saxons* was called *Erlig*, or *Ethlin*; by the Germanes *Plfg-ave* or *Lantgrave*, and by the *Normans Counts* being esteemed companions for *Kings* and *Princes*; they were Officers of great trust in former times in *England*, and have those *Ensigns* of Honour as the *Marquisses* and *Dukes*, viz. a *Coapeau* or *Cap* for the *head* with a *Coronet* of Gold which for distinction is *Pyramidal* pointed and pearled, and between each *Pyramide* is a *Flower* much shorter then the *Pyramid*. Their Body is adorned with *Robes*, viz. a *Hood*, *Surcoat*, and *Mantle* of *Scarlet* as for a Marquis, but there is but three Guards of Ermine Fur on the *Shoulders*; they are also begirt with a *Sword* and have a Patent delivered them. Their Titles are the Right Honourable, and truly Noble Lord, as also most Potent and Noble Lord, out of his Superiours presence he may have a Cloth of State fringed with *Pendants*, and his Countess may have her Train born up by an Esquires Wife.

For



Atchivement of the Right Hon.ble
George Earle of Berkeley &c.a

For the Example of the Bearing of an *Earl* I ſhall make uſe of the *Atcheivement* of the Right Honourable *George* Earl of *Berkley*.

The Right Honourable *George* Earl of *Berkley*, Viſcount *Duresby*, Lord *Berkley*, *Mawbray*, *Segrave* and *Bruce*, and Baron of *Berkley Caſtle* and one of the Lords of his *Majeſties* moſt Honourable *Privy Councel* Anno Domino 1678 deſcended frome *Harding* a younger Son of one of the Kings of *Denmark* that came into *England* with *William* the *Conquerour*. Who Beareth for his Paternal *Coat Armour* Ruby a *Cheveron* between ten Croſſes form Pearl, above the ſame, on a *Coronet* and *Helmet* befitting his *Lordſhips* quality a *Wreath* of his *Colours*, thereon a *Miter* Ruby charged with his Honours Coat mantled Ruby doubled Ermine, ſupported by two *Lions* Pearl, the ſiniſter Crowned, and gorged about the neck with a *Collar* and *Coain* reflecting over his back Topaz, and on a Scrole below his Lordſhips Motto *VIRTUTE NON VI.* Atchievement of the Earl of *Berkley*.

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VISCOUNTS.

See *Guil.* Chap. 7.

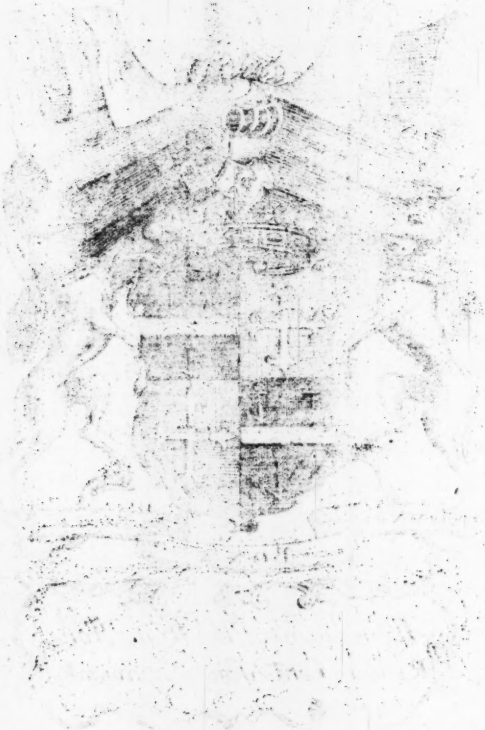
Viſcount (an ancient name of office now in being for ſuch that are *Sheriffs* of Counties) was about the eighteenth of King *Henry* the Sixth made a Degree of *Honour* who conferred the *Title* on *John* Lord *Beaumont* by *Letters Patents*, by which he was Created (as an Earl) having a *Hood*, *Surcoat*, and *Mantle* with two *Guards* and a half of plain white Fur on his *Shoulders* (whereas other *Degrees* above this are Ermin'd) and hath his *Coronet* and *Chaplet* with a row of *Pearls* cloſe ſet together on it. They have the Title of Right Honourable and truly Noble, or potent Lord. His *Viſcounteſs* may have her train born up by a woman out of her Superiours preſence.

Atchievement of the Lord Viſcount *Wenman.*

For the Example of the Bearing of a Viſcount I ſhall incert the Atchievement of the Right Honourable *Phillip* Viſcount *Wenman* of *Tuam* in the County of *Galloway* in *Ireland*, and Baron *Wenman* of *Kilmainham* in the County of *Dublin* in the ſaid Kingdom of *Ireland*; who beareth two Coats quar-



Atchivement of the Right Hon.ble
Richard Lord Viscount Wenman &c.



quarterly, first *Ruby* and Saphir a Cross *Patonce* Topaz Secondly, a *Fess* between three *Anchors* Topaz; the Third as the Second, the Fourth as the first; supported by two *Greyhounds* Ruby *Collored*, Topaz; Mantled Ruby, doubled Ermine, and for his *Crest* on a *Coronet* and *Helmet* befitting his Lordships Degree, on a *Wreath* of his Colours a *Cocks Head* erazed Saphir, *Crested* and *Jolloped* Topaz; And for his *Motto* in an *Escrole* *OMNIA BONA BONIS.*

The said Dignity of Viscount, and Baron *Wenman* is by Letters Patents, Created on the Honourable Sir *Richard Wenman* of *Caswell* in *Oxfordshire* Baronet to commence after the death of the said *Phillip* Lord Viscount *Wenman.*

LORDS

LORDS SPIRITUAL.

EPiſcopacy is as ancient as *Chriſtian Religion*, being ordained by the Apoſtles who took that Office upon them, and commended it to their Succeſſors where they planted the *Goſpel*.

They are *Barons* of the Realm by *Writ*, by *Tenure*, and by *Conſecration*. They are in *Precedency* next after *Viſcounts*, and are placed upon the Kings right hand in *Parliament*. They have the Title of *Lords*, and Right Reverend Fathers in *God*; and their *Sees* by the Piety of former Ages are amply endowed with revenues ſufficient to maintain their Dignities. There are two *Arch-Biſhops*, viz. *Canterbury*, and *York*, under whom are five and twenty *Suffragan Biſhops*, ſix and twenty *Deans* of Cathredrals and *Collegiate Churches*, ſixty *Arch Deacons*, and 544 *Prebendaries*.

Arch-Biſhops, Biſhops, Deans.

The Arch-Biſhop of *Canterbury* is *Metropolitan* of *England*, hath power to Summon the *Archbiſhop* of *York*, with the Biſhops of his *Province* to a National *Synod*; he takes place of all *Dukes*, and grea

great *Officers* at *Court* except the Royal Family; his Office is to Crown the King. The *Bishop* of *London* is his *Provincial Dean*, *Winchester* his *Chancellor*, and *Rochester* his *Chaplain*.

The *Arch-bishop* of *York* also hath precedency of all Dukes except those of the *Royal Blood* and of all *Great Officers* except the Lord *Chancellor* or Lord *Keeper*; he hath the Honour to Crown the *Queen* and to be her *Chaplain*.

Archbishops have the Title of Grace, and most Reverent Fathers in GOD. They have their *Armorial Ensigns* of *Honour* which is the Coat of their Episcopal See, on the Dexter side impaled with their *Paternal Coat*, and for External Ornaments, there is placed above a Miter, with *Keys Saltierwise*, according to this example.

Charles

TEMPORAL BARONS.

See *Guill. Nar. 2d. Chap. 9.*

A Baron is a Dignity next unto a Viſcount, and our Law Books makes a difference between *Dukes*, *Marquiſſes*, *Earls*, and *Viſcounts*, which are allowed Names of Dignity, and the *Baron*; for they affirm that ſuch a Baron needs not to be named *Lord*, or *Baron* by the *Writ*, but the *Duke*, *Marquis*, &c. ought to be named by their *Names* and *Dignity*. This Dignity is very ancient, they were firſt called *Valvaſors*, which name the *Saxons* changed into *Thanes*, and the *Normans* to *Barons*. And 'tis the received opinion that in thoſe days every Earl had ten Barons under him, every *Baron* ten *Knights fees* holden of him, and thoſe that had four *Knights fees* in *Poſſeſſion* were uſually called to the Degree of a *Baron*.

Three ſorts of Barons.

There are three ſorts Or kinds of Barons, *viz.* by *Tenure*, by *Writ*, and by *Creation* or *Patent*.

1. Barons by *Tenure* or *Preſcription* are thoſe that hold any *Honour*, *Caſtle*, or *Mannor*, as the head of their *Barony* of which

which there are two sorts *Spiritual* and *Temporal* and these are the most ancient Barons.

2*dly*. *Barons* by *Writ* are those to whom a *Writ* of *Summons* in the *Kings* name is directed to come to Parliament, *&c*. which kind of Writ is the same as directed to *Barons* by *Tenure*, as also to Barons by *Patent*, but those that are not *Barons* by *Tenure* nor *Patent*, and have only such *Writs*, after the receipt of such a *Writ* and place taken in *Parliament* accordingly ought to enjoy the *Name* and *Dignity* of a *Baron*. Barons by Writ.

The first institution of them is supposed to be in the 49 of *Henry* the *Third*, to supply the places of the *Rebellious Barons* then engaged against him in a Civil *War*.

3*dly*. *Barons* by *Patent* are Created by the *Kings Letters Patents* to them and their Heirs Male lawfully begotten, and this was begun in the Reign of King *Richard* the Second. Barons by Patent.

Barons have their *Hood* or *Chapeau*, their *Surcoat* and *Mantle* which hath two guards of *white Fur*, on their *Shoulders*: Also a *Coronet* with six *Pearls* placed at equal distance.

They have the Titles of Right Ho-

nourable, and truly noble Lords, and the *Baroneſs* may have her train born up by her Page.

For the Example of a Barons Atchievement, I ſhall incert the Coat Armour of the *Right Honourable Digby* Lord *Gerrard*, Baron of *Gerrards Bromley* in *Staffordſhire*, &c. who beareth Pearl a *Saltier* Ruby, for his *Creſt* on a *Coronet* and *Helmet* befitting his Lordſhips degree, on a Wreath of his Colours a *Munky* proper with a *Chain* over his back Topaz, Mantled Ruby, doubled Ermine, ſupported by two *Lions* Ermine crowned Topaz.

KNIGHTHOOD.

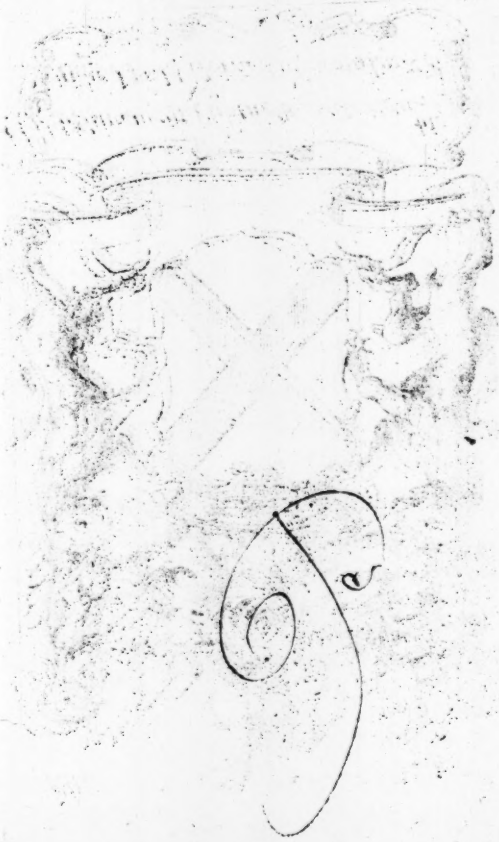
KNIGHTS of the GARTER.

Guillim. Part 2. Chap. 11.

IT was the cuſtom and policy of puiſſant Princes both ancient and modern to caraſs men of Heroick Spirits and renown with remarks of Honour, *viz.* precedency of place, honourable *Robes* and *Badges*



Atchivement of the Right Honble
Digby Lord Gerard of Bromley &c.



Badges, and additional Titles; amongſt which none ſeems more ancient then that of *Knighthood*, moſt Nations having divers diſtinct orders, ſome *Military*, and ſome *Civil*; but amongſt all orders purely *Military* that of Saint *George* which we call *Knights* of the *Garter* deſervedly hath the preheminence for it's antiquity, glorious inſtitution by that Triumphant King *Edward*, and for the many *Emperours*, *Kings* and *Princes* that have thought themſelves honoured in being admitted into the Fraternity.

It was inſtituted about the year 1350, by the victorious King *Edward* the *Third*. The *Patron* of the order is Saint *George* a man of renown for *Chivalry* and *Chriſtianity* in confirmation whereof he ſuffered Martyrdom in *Aſia*, to whoſe memory many *Temples* and *Monaſteries* were dedicated in the Eaſtern, and afterwards in the Weſtern *Churches*. And the 23*th*. of *April* is aſſigned for his Feaſt.

The number of *Knights* of the *Garter* are not to exceed ſix and twenty, but there is uſually left one or more vacancies for the gratifying a foreign *Prince*, or *Ally*.

The Habit of the order are Robes of

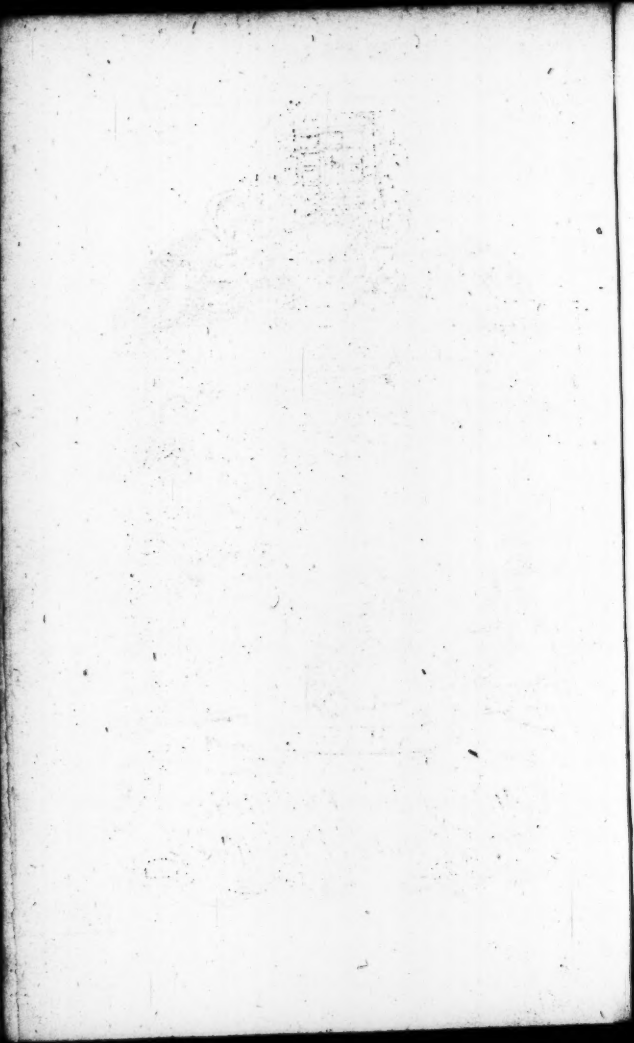
Crimſon, and Purple *Velvet Caſſocks*, with *Collars* to be worn over them on Feaſt and Solemn Days, and a Star of *Silver* to be embroidered on the left ſide of their *Cloaks*, or *Coats*. They are alſo to wear the Image of Saint *George* on Horſeback encountring with the *Dragon* to be made of Diamonds ſet in Gold, which is to hang on a blue Ribon, and always worn croſs their Body or Shoulders, as alſo a *Garter* on the left Leg Enamelled with Gold, Pearl, and precious Stone with the Motto *HONI SOIT QUI MALY PENSE*. Or inſtead thereof a *Blew Ribbon*, of all which ſtately *Robes*, together with the Solemnities at their Inſtaulation, *&c.* is at large treated of by Mr. *Aſhmele*.

Atchievement of the Duke of Beaufort.

The diſtinction of Honour in their *Shields* is always within a *Garter* according to the examples following, born by the Right Noble *Henry* Duke of *Beaufort* Marquiſs and Earl of *Worceſter*, Baron *Herbert* of *Chipſtow*, *Raglon* and *Gower*, Lord *Preſident*, and Lord Leiutenant of *Wales*, and *Marſhes*, Lord *Leiutenant* of the Counties of *Gloceſter*, *Hereford*, and *Monmouth*, and of the City and County of *Briſtol*, Lord *Warden* of his Majeſties Foreſt



Atchivement of his Grace
Henry Duke of Beaufort &c.



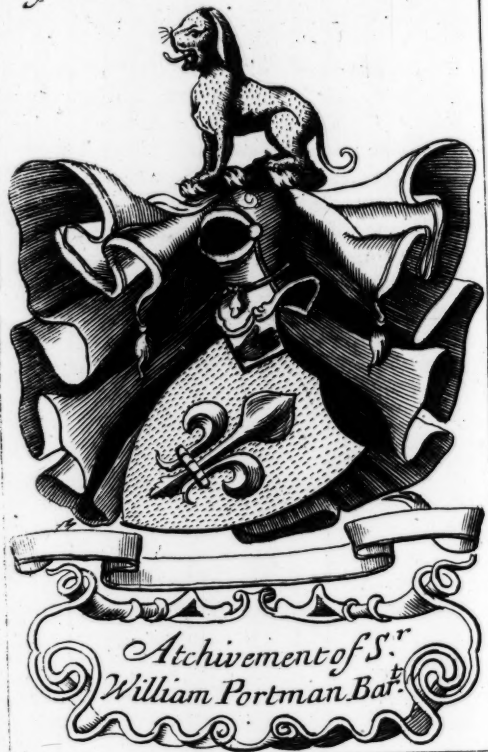
of *Dean*, and Conſtable of the Caſtle of St. *Briavells*, Knight of the moſt noble Order of the *Garter*, and one of the Lords of his *Majeſties* moſt Honourable *Privy Councel*, &c. who beareth within a *Garter*, *France* and *England*, quarterly within a *Border Gobonated* Pearl and Saphir. Enſigned with a *Coronet* and *Helmet* befiting his Graces quality, thereon on a Wreath of his Colours a *Pavillis* Topaz, mantled Ruby doubled Ermine, ſupported on the Dexter by a *Panthur* Pearl, ſpotted of all Colours, collored, and chained Topaz, with Flames of Fire iſſuing out of his Mouth and Ears proper. On the ſiniſter ſide a *Wivern* emeral'd, gorged about the Neck with a Crown Ducal, and Chain reflecting over his back Topaz, holding in his mouth a dexter hand couped Ruby; and for his Motto in an Eſcrole *MUTARE VEL TIMERE SPERNO.*

KNIGHTS BANERETS.

THIS Order of *Knighthood* was in former Times reputed *Barons*, and had the admittance amongſt the *Peers* in *Parliament*, in the *Saxon Regiment*, amongſt the *French* the Honour was *Hereditary*, but with us now adays for Life only, yet they retain ſome *Enſigns* of Honour, ſuch as *Supporters*, and have Precedency of all under the *Degree* of a *Baron*. But they muſt be ſuch *Banerets* as are made under the *Royal Standard diſplayed*, in time of battle the *King* or *Prince* being preſent, of this *Order*, there is at preſent none that I can hear of living.

BARONETS.

THE loweſt degree of *Hereditary Honour* is that of a *Baronet*, inſtituted by King *James*, *Anno* 1611. They are created by *Patent* under the *Great Seal* as the *Nobles*, to them and their Heirs male lawfully



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ly begotten, without otherwise by a particular Clause: They are styled in all *Writs* and *Commissions Baronets*, with the Addition of *Sir*, and the Title of *Lady* to their *Wives*.

There are also *Baronets* of *Nova-Scotia* for *Scotland*, but these of *England*, as an *Armorial Ensign* of their Honour, bears on a *Canton*, or in an *Escocheon* placed in some convenient and perspicuous Place of the *Shield*, the *Arms* of *Ulster*, (viz.) Argent, a sinister hand couped at the wrist, Gules. Baronet *Nova Scotia.*

For the *Example* of the *Bearing* of a Baronet, *I* shall incert the *Atchievement* of Sir *William Portman* of *Orchard* in *Somersetshire* Kt. of the *Bath* and *Baronet*, who beareth for his Paternal Coat Armour Or, a *Flower de lis* Azure on a Canton, the *Arms* of *Ulster* as aforesaid: And for his Crest on a *Helmet*, befitting his Degree, a Wreath of his Colours, thereon a *Talbot Seiant* Or, mantled Gules doubled Argent. Sir *William Portman.*

There are some *Baronets* that besides the *Augmentation* of a *hand* as aforesaid by a peculiar Grant doth bear *Supporters*; for an Example I shall make use of the Atchievement of the Honourable Sir *Henry Good-* Sir *Henry Geodrick.*

Goodrick of *Ribſton-Park* in *York-ſhire* Kt. and Bar. His Majeſties *Envoy* Extraordinary to the King of *Spain*, *Anno Domini*, $168\frac{2}{3}$, who beareth Argent, on a Feſs Gules, between Two *Lyons paſſant* Gardant, Sable, a Flower de lis Or, between two *Creſcents* Argent: For his *Creſt*, on a *Helmet*, and *wreath* of his *Colours*, a *Demy-Lyon* Sable, holding a *Pole Ax* Argent, Mantled Gules, double Argent, for his *Supporters* two *Naked Boys* proper, and for his *Motto* in an *Eſcrole FORTIOR LEONE JUSTUS.*

KNIGHTS *of the* BATH.

THESE *Knights* are ſo called from Part of the *Ceremonies* at their *Creation*, which is at the *Coronation* of a *King* or *Queen*, or at the Creation of a Prince of *Wales*, or of a Duke of the *Blood-Royal*.

This Order ſaith *Froyſard* was inſtituted *in Anno* 1399. by K. *Henry* the *IV*, but others ſay they are of a longer continuance, being then revived after a *Diſuſage*.

They



Atchivement of the Honourable
S.r Henry Goodrick &c.a

They have *Robes* and *Ceremonies* appropriate to them, they wear a *Red Ribbon* cross their left shoulder to which a Medal (being the Gift of the *King* or *Prince* that creates them) is affixed.

There is no *Badge* of Honour in their *Arms*, being in all respects the same as to external Ornaments with a *Knight Batchelor*.

KNIGHTS BATCHELORS.

Knights Batchelors are such that are raised to this *Dignity* for their *Prowess* and *Merit*, being at first a *Military Honour*, and bestowed as well for their *Reward*, as to encourage others to Noble *Atchievements*.

They are called *Knights Batchelors*, as *Selden* in page 458. notes from *Buccellarii* signifying in the declining Empire a *Souldier* or Servant must be ready for *Military Employment*, to which word *Chevalier* was joyned to denote a Souldier tryed and fit for *Horse Service*, and by their Honourable *Atchievements* obtained great repute throughout the Christian World.

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In all Foreign Countreys *Knights* have place according to their being *Knighted*, a Privilege debarred *Noblemen*; for be they never ſo Noble and Antient, they are only reputed as *Gentlemen* in Foreign *Countreys*, and cannot demand Place of the youngeſt Knight there by *Law* of *Arms*.

The other *Privileges* and *Honours* allowed them in *England* is at large diſcourſed in *Guilims Heraldry*, *Second Part. Chap.* 21.

Atchievement of Sir *Robert Daſhwood*.

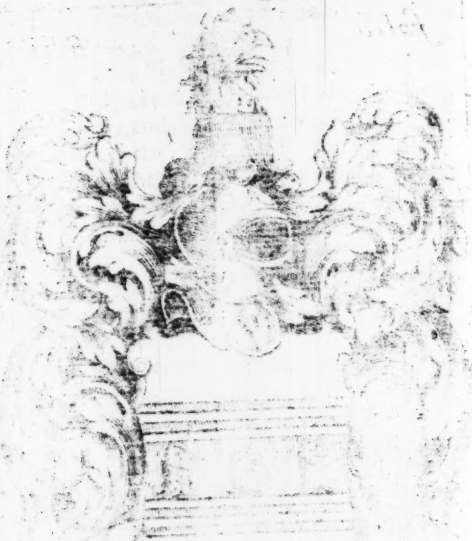
For the Bearing of a *Knight Batchelor*, *I* ſhall incert the *Atchievement* of Sir *Robert Daſhwood*.

He beareth *Argent* on a *Feſs* between a double *Cottize*, Gules, 3 *Griffons* heads Erazed Or, Mantled Gules doubled Argent, and for his Creſt, on a Helmet and Wreath of his Colours a *Griffons Head Ermenois* erazed *Gules*. This is the Atchievement of Sir *Robert Daſhwood* of *Norbrook* and *Wickham* in *Oxfordſhire* Kt.

Eſquires.



Atchivement of S.r
Robert Dashwood K.t



ESQUIRES.

ESQUIRE by the *Latin* Word *Armiger* ſeemeth to take it's Original from Bearing the *Armour* of a *King*, *Duke*, or ſome great *Warrier*, as we find *Saul* and *Jonathan* to have their *Armour Bearers*; likewiſe *Troilus* and *Achiles* and *Clytus Alexander* the great in the ſame Office; ſo that amongſt all *Civil Nations* ſuch Men were in uſe, and of ſuch reputation in thoſe ancient days, that their *Poſterity* were careful to own their *Deſcent*, and to continue the *Title*, and as in thoſe antient Times, ſo are theſe in our days deſcended (for the moſt part) of worthy *Anceſtors*, that for their warlike Exploits, or for their *merits* and *ſervice* of the *Commonwealth* in times of Peace, had both the Title of *Eſquires*, and *Coats* of *Arms* allowed, or beſtowed on them, and their *Deſcendants* as a Reward for the ſame, of thoſe that bear that Title amongſt us are ſeveral ſorts of *Honours* that precede *Knights*, and ſuch are the Eldeſt Sons of *Viſcounts* and *Barons* and *Noblemens* younger

ger *Sons* of the ſecond rank, are the Select Eſquires of the *Kings* Body, then Knights Eldeſt Sons. In a fourth rank are ſuch as the King together with the *Title*, giveth *Arms* or *Creates Eſquires* by Impoſition of a Silver *Collar* or *SS*, or by Patent *Creamus te Armigerum*; &c. and that but rarely.

In the firſt place are reckoned all ſuch *Gentlemen* as by the *Kings Patent*, under the *Great* or *Privy Seal* are ſo Intituled by reaſon of their publick *Offices*, &c. and ſuch are all *Serjeants* at *Law*, *Juſtices* of the *Peace*, *Sheriffs* and other *Officers* and *Commanders Military* and *Civil*.

Laſtly *Eſquires* by Reputation, the Principal whereof are thoſe that Attend *Knights* of the *Bath* at their Creation, then *Barriſters* at *Law*, *Mayors* of *Cities*, *Officers* of *Courts*, &c.

The better ſort of *Eſquires* are ſtiled Worſhipful.

For the Example of the bearing of an *Eſquire*, which is the ſame of a Gentleman, I ſhall incert the Atchievement of *William Stych* of *Newbury* in the Pariſh of *Barkin* in *Eſſex* Eſquire, who beareth Sable three *Garbs* Or, Impaled with the Arms of *Longueville*, viz. Gules a *Feſs Dauncette*

folio 252.



Atchivement of
William Stych Esq.r

cette Ermine between six *Croſs Croſlets Fitche* Argent, in right of his Wife *Margaret Maria*, Daughter of Sir *Thomas Languevile* of *Wolverton* in *Buckinghamſhire* Baronet; and for his Creſt on a Helmet and Wreath of his Colours an *Eagle Diſplayed* Argent, Gorged with a *Coller* Azure, and holding in his *Beak* a *Trefoil ſlipped* Proper, Mantled Gules doubled Argent, and for his *Motto* in an *Eſcrole* PRO PATRIA MORI.

GENTLEMEN.

GEntlemen had their beginning either of Blood, *viz.* Such as were born of worthy Parents, or that had done ſome noble exploit in War whereby they deſerved to Bear *Arms* and to be accounted *Gentlemen*, but now a days whoſoever ſtudieth the Laws of the *Realm* at any of the Inns of *Court* or *Chancery*, or who is a ſtudent at the *Univerſities*, alſo he that profeſſeth the liberal *Sciences*, or can live without manual labour, or by his Wealth can live and bear the Port of a *Gentleman*, ſhall be called Mr. and may

may purchaſe a Coat of *Arms* to himſelf and poſterity. And the *Saxons* admitted none to the Eſtate of *Gentry* out of all the *Trades* converſant in Gain, but ſuch, only as encreaſed their Wealth by honeſt *Husbandry*, or plentiful *Merchandize* from beyond the *Seas*.

Some others there are that number up nine ſeveral ſorts of *Gentlemen*. Firſt, thoſe of *Anceſtry* which muſt be *Gentlemen* of *Blood*. Secondly, thoſe of *Blood*, and not of Anceſtry, as when he is the ſecond degree deſcended from the firſt. Thirdly, *Gentlemen* of *Coat Armour* and not of *Blood*, as when he beareth a device given him by the *Heralds*, and then he and his iſſue are ſo ſtiled to the third deſcent, who are *Gentlemen* of *Blood*. Fourthly *Gentlemen* of *Coat Armour* and not of blood, as when the King gives them and their Heirs a *Lordſhip* by vertue thereof they may bear the *Coat Armour* of the old *Lord*, the *Heralds* approving thereof, and provided the ſaid old Lords Family is extinct. Fifthly, a *Chriſtian Soldier* that in the Service of *God* and his *Prince* killeth a *Heathen Gentleman* he ſhall bear his Arms, and if he hath iſſue to the third *Degree*, then they are Gentlemen of blood;



Atchivement of the Right Noble Frances Stewart Dutchess dowager of Richmond &c.ª

blood; but note that no *Christian Soldier* may bear another *Christians Coat* although vanquished by him in *Battle*, but may bear his Coat, in the finister *Quarter* with the proper Coat of such a Gentleman that he killed or put to flight, provided it be done in an *Army Royal*. Sixthly, if the *King* Knight a *Yeoman* he is then adjudged a *Gentleman* of blood. Seventhly, when a *Yeomans* Son is advanced to *Spiritual Dignity* he is then a Gentlman, but not of *Blood*, except he be a Doctor of the Civil *Laws*. Eightly, or such that are brought up in a *Cathredral* or *Abbey* there serving in good office, or such as are of near kind to the *Bishop* or *Abbot*. And, Ninthly, such as serve a *Prince* as a *Page*: and afterwards by their diligent and faithful service are advanced to higher places although without badge by *Birth* are esteemed Gentlemen.

Thus you see the *Scale* of *Nobility* both *Major* and *Minor*. In the next place I shall give you the *Bearing* of a *Woman*, not under *Femme Covert*.

The Right Noble *Frances Steward*, Dutchess Dowager of *Richmond* and *Lenox* beareth two Coates quarterly; *First*, Saphir 3 *Flower de lis* Topaz within a *Border* Ruby

Ruby charged with *Buckles* Topaz. *Secondly*, Topaz a Feſs checky Pearl and Ruby within a *Border Engrailed* of the *Third*, the *Third* as the *Second*, and the *Fourth* as the *Firſt*, over all in an *Eſcocheon* of pretence *Pearl*, a *Saltier* Engrailed between *Four* Cinquefoyls Ruby, Impaled with Pearl, a Bend *Engrailed* Ruby ſurmounted by a Feſs checky Pearl and Saphir, ſupported by two Wolves proper. It will not be unneceſſary to take notice of the principal Parts of *Honour* and *Vertue*, that every Gentleman of what Degree of Honour ſoever, ought to be endowed with, which are as followeth,

To fear God, and walk after his Commandments, and to his Power to defend *Holy Church*. To love *Honour*, to be loyal and ſerviceable to his *Prince* and *Country*. To delight in *Military Exerciſes*, to frequent the *War*, and to prefer Honour before worldly wealth. To be charitable to the diſtreſſed, and to ſupport Widows and Orphans. To reverence Majeſtrates, and thoſe placed in Authority. To cheriſh *Truth*, *Vertue* and *Honeſty*, and to eſchew Intemperance, riot, ſloth, all diſhoneſt recreations and *Company*. To be courteous, gentle and of an affable Deport-

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ment to all men, deteſting *Pride*, and *Haughtineſs*. To be true and juſt in word and dealing, and to give no juſt cauſe of offence to any man. To be of an open and liberal heart delighting in *Hoſpitality* and to promote and encourage all publick uſeful and honourable works, eſpecially ſuch as relate to the advancement of knowledge and learning as the Printing of Books which are lively Monuments Regiſtring to Future Ages an honourable Account of ſuch perſons that by whoſe generoſity ſuch undertakings were finiſhed, for what greater ſatisfaction can it be to any Gentleman to find in Books an Honourable and Commendable Account of his Anceſtors which certainly every one ſhould be ambitious of, for Books the *Trumpet* of *Fame* ſounds forth their praiſe not only in their own Country, but throughout the World, and that to Future Ages; Whereas if no ſuch Remarks were taken of their Families in proceſs of time they will be forgotten, nay probably in that part of their own Country where they dwelt, eſpecially upon removals of Families from one Country to another which is very accuſtomary and that for ſeveral reaſons.

PRECEDENCY.

PRecendency may be thus obſerved. The *King* who is the *Fountain* of Honour. The *Prince* of *England* who is eldeſt Son to the King, and is born Duke of *Cornwal*, &c. *Princes* of the *Blood Royal* who are the *Sons*, *Brothers*, *Uncles* and *Nephews* of the King, The Arch-Biſhop of *Canterbury*, the Lord Chancellor, or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal, the Arch-Biſhop of *York*, Lord *Treaſurer* of *England*, Lord *Preſident* of the *Privy Councel*, Lord *Privy Seal*, *Dukes*, *Marquiſſes*, *Dukes* eldeſt Sons, Earls, *Marquiſſes* eldeſt Sons, Dukes younger Sons, *Viſcounts*, *Earls* eldeſt Sons, *Marquiſſes* younger Sons, *Biſhops*, *Barons*, *Viſcounts*, eldeſt Sons, *Earls* younger Sons, *Barons* eldeſt Sons, *Privy Councel* that are not Noblemen, *Judges*, *Viſcounts* younger Sons, *Barons* younger Sons, *Knights* of the *Garter* if not otherwiſe dignified as is rarely found, *Knights Banerets*, *Baronets*, *Knights* of the *Bath*, *Knights Batchellors*, *Collonels*, *Serjeants* at *Law*, *Maſters* of *Chancery* and Doctors, Eſquires, and thoſe may be comprehend-

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ded under five Heads, 1. Eſquires, to the Kings Body, 2*dly*. The *deſcendants* by the Male line from a *Peer* of the Realm. 3*dly*. The eldeſt Sons of Knights of the Garter, Baronets and Knights, 4*thly*. The two Eſquires attending on the Knights of the Bath at their Creation, and 5*thly*. *officious Eſquires* as Juſtices of the Peace, Bareſters at Law, Leiutenant Collonels, Majors, and Captains, and laſtly, Gentlemen of Coat Armour.

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